DREW PEARSON SAYS: U. N. debate on Viet Nam held up at British request; U.S. also didn't want to play into Chinese hands; Federal Trade Commission drags its feet.

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WRIST WATCHES were given to Charles Miller, center, and S. A. Bradley by William Bess, chairman of the board of public works, last night at a banquet. Miller has completed 20 years service for the board and Bradley will complete 22 years March 1, both as plant operators.

Patterson Criticizes Human Rights Commission Chief

Two Veteran City Employes Given Watches

City employes were guests at a steak dinner and musical entertainment last night at the Holiday Inn.

There were more than 200 present for the second annual occasion.

Taylor Noles, vice mayor, presided in the absence of Mayor Kendall Sikes, who is on vacation in Hawaii.

W. Raymert Miller, city manager, presented William Bess, chairman of the board of public works, who presented wrist watches to Charles Miller, who has completed 20 years service and retired four years ago and S. A. Bradley who will retire March 1 after 22 years of service.

A 30-minute musical program was given by the Travelers, composed of Terry Burke, John Rhame, Sue Foster and Mike Hopkins, all high school students.

The dinner was made possible by money saved on insurance because of a good safety record by city employes, Miller explained. Mrs. Ted Elliott was in charge of arrangements.

Launch Set Saturday

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) —With a forecast of favorable weather, the space agency today scheduled the launching of the first unmanned Apollo moonship for Saturday.

The shot, twice delayed by bad weather, was set for a period between 6:45 and 10:15 a.m.

A Saturn 1B, most powerful rocket ever built by the United States, is to hurl the Apollo ship 310 miles into space and ram it back through the earth's atmosphere at more than 18,000 miles an hour.

The flight will test the rocket, which is making its maiden trip, and spacecraft systems such as the propulsion unit, guidance and control and the heat shield. Recovery of the spacecraft will be attempted in the South Atlantic after a 5,300-mile journey.

The launching is the first in a long series of Apollo shots whose goal is a manned lunar landing.

LINCOLN, Ill, --Blue Boy, pet macaw in the Richard Sielaff home, is a bit particular when it comes meal time. The long-tailed parrot holds out for and gets -- buttered toast for breakfast, roast meat and fruit for lunch, and a special bird mix for dinner. Dessert? It's ice cream, fed with a spoon.

Wilson May Call Election

LONDON AP -- Prime Minister Harold Wilson is expected to call a national election for March 31, politicians and news commentators said today.

Members of Parliament with access to the Labor government said they expected Wilson to announce the date over the weekend or early next week.

His Labor party's 314 seats in the House of Commons give him a three-vote majority against the two opposition parties--Conservatives (302 seats) and Liberals (9).

Wilson's government has proposed hard and controversial legislation that could face sudden defeat on a crucial vote. Such a defeat could force him to call a new election, whether or not he wanted one then.

Seeking a more comfortable majority, and noting his party's high rating in current opinion polls, Wilson may choose to call elections now before future troubles cut into his popularity, observers say.

They note that March 31 falls shortly before the annual budget is due to be presented to Parliament. The budget is expected to be harsh and may include higher taxes.

If Wilson chooses March 31 for elections, the opposition Conservatives are expected to charge that he picked the date because the political effect of an unpopular budget once it is announced.

Unions Support Viet Nam Stand

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. AP -- AFL-CIO leaders strongly lauded President Johnson's stand in Viet Nam today and slapped at Sen. Robert F. Kennedy's criticism of U. S. war policies.

"I think he ought to read a little history," AFL-CIO President George Meany said of Kennedy's differences with the administration over Viet Nam policy points.

In a resolution today, the AFL-CIO Executive Council will not name Kennedy by name, but a spokesman for the labor federation said the New York Democrat was the target.

Kennedy has said he doesn't advocate admitting Communists to a compromise government to end the way but that the door shouldn't be shut if peace negotiators feel it necessary. He said that the United States should abide by any election outcome even if the Communists win control.

American males between the ages of 18 and 24 average five feet, nine inches in height, a recent survey reveals.

Deny Toning Down Viet Policy

ST. LOUIS, Mo. AP -- White House press aide Bill D. Moyers and some officials of the National Council of Churches denied Thursday a published report that a council committee toned down a proposed resolution critical of U.S. policy in Viet Nam after receiving telephone calls from Moyers.

The high council sources who gave the information to The Associated Press in the final hours of a three-day meeting of the council general board, stuck to their report, however.

The board adopted what the sources said was a revised statement saying reconciliation and peace with justice must be the immediate as well as the longrange goal of U. S. policy in Viet Nam.

The sources said the administration was concerned about church body statements because of their effect on public opinion.

The sources, who released the information on condition that their names not be used, said the telephone calls were designed to stop a resolution that would have in effect endorsed a World Council of Churches statement.

That statement, made last week in Geneva, called for an immediate cease-fire in Viet Nam and for U. S. realization that there is a social revolution in Viet Nam that best can be handled by the Vietnamese.

Attorney General Leaps Into Governor Race

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)—Atty. Gen. Richmond Flowers jumped into the race for governor of Alabama today after a similar announcement from Gov. George Wallace's wife.

Flowers appealed for "the vote of all the people—the Negro vote and the white vote."

He announced his candidacy at a news conference about 24 hours after Lurleen Wallace entered the race.

His appearance as the 10th candidate seeking the Democratic nomination in the May 3 party primary set the stage for a showdown between his self-styled moderate philosophy and the hard - core segregationist stand of Wallace.

The governor's wife said that if she is elected Wallace will continue to run the state government. Wallace's term ends in January.

Flowers, a self-styled racial moderate, has opposed Wallace's defiance of federal authority.

Another Wallace critic, State Sen. Bob Gilchrist of Hartselle, appeared likely to jump into the already crowded gubernatorial field before the qualifying deadline Tuesday.

He was one of the senators who blocked the governor's attempt last October to change the law so he could run for re-election, and was an active campaign worker for another candidate, Ryan deGraffenried, who died in a plane crash two weeks ago.

The attractive, honey blonde Mrs. Wallace, 39, became the ninth candidate in the governor's race.

With her husband at her side, she told a cherring throng of followers crowded into the State House of Representatives chamber that she would run as a "stand-in" for Wallace.

She made it clear that if elected, her husband would run the governor's office and decide policy as he does now.

Flowers' chances in the party primary will depend in great measure on how an estimated 200,000 registered Negroes vote. He may have to compete for Negro support with another self-designated moderate candidate, former congressman Carl Elliott.

Fromer Gov. James E. Folsom, who barely missed the runoff four years ago when he sought a third term, is campaigning again. He, too, may win Negro votes.

Mrs. Wallace, on the other hand, will find another governor, John Patterson, going after the conservative support in a state which voted overwhelmingly for Republican Barry Goldwater in the presidential election two years ago.

Other democratic candidates are A. W. Todd, state agriculture commissioner, who made an unsuccessful race for governor eight years ago, and political newcomers, Charles Woods, Sherman Powell, C. Rex Scott and Mrs. Ralph Price.

The winners of the Democratic nomination will be up against spirited Republican opposition in the November general election.

Johnson Blueprint Frightens Jones

Special to Daily Standard

WASHINGTON -- Blueprints made by the administration and its advisors for the future of the country "are nothing short of frightening" Rep. Paul Jones (D-Mo.) told the house of representatives.

He cited a recent report on proposals of the president, his economic advisors, and a special commission which included the statement "all past ideas" of what the government "can do", or "can afford are being junked" in future plans. It added "the role of the states will dwindle", and their power "will fade".

Jones told the house the problem is whether or not Congress will do its part or will permit "the drive now under way" to change this country into the "most socialistic state in the world".

He noted that the advisors have approved the idea of the "guaranteed minimum wage", or of the negative income tax. In other words if the person's income is below a certain amount, about $3,000, the government will send him a check to make up the difference.

Some have advocated the minimum wage in industries, which mean the industry would make up the difference.

For some time Jones pointed out that certain leaders, and especially Negro leaders have urged the guaranteed minimum wage, or the negative income tax, and the president's advisors now have accepted it, he said.

He said also the program calls for the person having a college education, if he wants it. He noted that the guaranteed minimum wage proposal would cost between $2 and $20 billion a year, the president's advisors say.

Jones said the most surprising of the proposals by the president's advisors was the agreement that Negroes should be sent a special check by the government. This he said has been advocated by certain Negro leaders such as Randolph of the Porters Union. It's been suggested that $10 billion a year be disbursed to Negroes in this way.

The program also calls for rebuilding cities, beautifying them, and providing recreation for the people.

The advisors also have approved rent subsidies, and the president asked for $30 million to get this program started. If a person lived in a rundown house, he could move into a much better one, on the best street in town. He could pay one fourth of his income for rent, and the government could pay the rest.

Much of the socalled poverty program is geared to the blueprints for the future as set out here, which have been approved by the president and his advisors.

The article referred to by Jones is in the Feb. 21 issue of U.S. News and World Report.

Approach Called Wrong

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — The chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee, Sen. J. Pat Patterson, D-Caruthersville, today criticized the way Peter C. Robertson approaches his job as executive director of the Human Rights Commission.

He accused Robertson of trying to arouse racial tension rather than eliminate it.

"We need some common horse sense in this program," Patterson said. "If we can't do it legally and properly then let's drop it altogether."

He accused Robertson of "persecuting my people by blasting them in the newspapers" on racial issues.

He also referred to a race relations committee meeting in Caruthersville several months ago which Robertson was invited to attend. Perhaps he would be able to help find job opportunities for some of the unemployed in Pemiscot County, the committee suggested.

Instead, Patterson said he was told by friends, both Negro and white, Robertson tried to arouse racial trouble.

"Why can't you reason with people without being dictatorial?" Patterson asked Robertson. Robertson, who attended the committee hearing to explain his commission's money needs, sat silent as Patterson scolded him.

Patterson also said Robertson refused to believe that everyone was getting along well in the school system in Pemiscot County. He said the school superintendent told him Robertson had telephoned and insisted the school system had some racial problems Robertson would be able to solve.

Later when Robertson attempted to defend his statements at the Caruthersville meeting, Patterson abruptly closed the hearing on the Human Rights Commission.

"The Irish in me can only stand so much," the senator said.

The incident occurred just before the Senate committee adjourned for the weekend.

Thursday night Gov. Warren E. Hearnes outlined in a St. Louis speech Missouri's whole budget problem.

Postman Will Have Census Role

WASHINGTON AP -- For most Americans the census taker in 1970 could turn out to be the postman.

Andrew F. Brimmer, assistant secretary of commerce for economic affairs, said a census by mail technique will represent a basic change in the enumerating process for the 1970 nose count.

In a talk prepared for a conference of population and housing census users, Brimmer said most Americans will answer the 1970 census by filling out a form delivered by the postman rather than face an enumerator for a personal interview.

"This system will save money and produce more reliable results," he said. "Some persons may be less inhibited in answering questions if they are merely filling out a form rather than facing an interviewer. After all, sometimes that interviewer is the person who lives next door."

General Praises Troops

SAIGON, South Viet Nam AP -- Gen. William C. Westmoreland, commander of U. S. forces in Viet Nam, paid high tribute today to 2,500 American infantrymen while on a personal tour of the battle - scarred jungle north of Saigon where they hurled back a fierce predawn Viet Cong assault Thursday.

Astride the hood of a jeep, the general told his men: "You gave the enemy a sound defeat and I am proud of you. Your performance was in the highest spirit and professional conduct of U. S. fighting men. I salute you."

The discovery of 46 more bodies outside the camp's barbed-wire defenses raised the toll of enemy dead to at least 135. Many more were believed to have been dragged away by the Viet Cong. Fifteen Communists were taken prisoner.

While officers of the U. S. 1st Infantry Division's First Brigade briefed Westmoreland on one of the heaviest attacks of the war experienced by American troops, action elsewhere in the past 24 hours tapered off. U. S., South Vietnamese and other Allied troops reported only sporadic contact with the enemy.

The U.S. 1st Air Cavalry's sweep south of Bong Son, 300 miles northeast of Saigon, closed out the fourth week of the division-size search for the Viet Cong with 30 more insurgents killed today.

Since Jan. 28, the cavalry claims 1,323 Viet Cong killed and 397 captured together with an arsenal of 275 weapons.

A third day of heavy rains curbed air raids against North Viet Nam. The thick overcast allowed only four air strikes against roads and bridges around the coastal city of Vinh, 165 miles south of Hanoi. The 7th Fleet's jets made no sorties against the North Thursday.

However, the Strategic Air Command's eight-engine B52s came in over the weather from Guam to pound Communist targets this afternoon in South Viet Nam's Thua Thien Province, 15 miles west of the old Imperial capital of Hue. The raid accompanied a flareup of military action in the northern part of the country.

Labor Leader In Scandal

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP)—James B. Carey, the labor union president who resigned in an election fraud scandal, will take a new $21,000-a-year job with the blessing of the same fellow labor leaders who once disowned him, it was learned today.

Carey, founder and only president of the AFL-CIO International Union of Electrical Workers until he quit in 1964, will direct labor activities of the United Nations Association of the U.S.A., a private organization that drums up support and interest in the United Nations.

It was learned that the Industrial Union Department of the AFL-CIO approved Carey's appointment to the new post of directing a larger role for labor among citizens groups supporting the United Nations.

March Draft Call Reduced

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon said today a sharp upturn in enlistments has enabled it to cut its March draft call by 10,500 to 22,400—the lowest figure since a call for 16,500 men last August.

The Defense Department originally asked the Selective Service for 32,900 inductees for March.

But it said it was reducing that call after reviewing enlistment results for January.

Army enlistments in January totaled about 19,000 —the highest monthly figure in more than a decade.

The Defense Department said the March call reduction does not reflect any change in military strength plans.

The Pentagon determines its monthly draft calls after considering such factors as expected losses, gains through enlistments and re-enlistments, and training capacities in relation to approved military strength levels.

New Ghana Rulers Tell Of Misrule

ACCRA, Ghana AP -- Ghana's new military leaders say they overthrew President Kwame Nkrumah because he had abused individual rights and liberties.

"He has been running the country as if it were his own personal property," Radio Ghana, controlled by the new regime, said Thursday.

Announcing the creation of a National Revolutionary Council, the radio said Nkrumah's "gross economic mismanagement" had forced Ghana to "the brink of national bankruptcy."

"What we need," the radio said, "is a radical revolution of our financial and economic policies. This will be done almost immediately."

The army seized power before dawn Thursday while Nkrumah was en route to Peking. He arrived there a few hours after the takeover was announced in a radio broadcast.

The broadcast announcing the coup identified Col. E. K. Kotoka as leader of the revolt.

He announced that the 10,000-man army had taken power, dissolved Parliament, dismissed Nkrumah and outlawed his Convention People's party -- the only party Nkrumah had allowed.

Nkrumah to Return Soon

MOSCOW AP -- Kwame Nkrumah said in a statement made in Peking that he will return to Ghana soon, Tass reported today.

The official Soviet news agency, in a story datelined Peking, also quoted the deposed Ghanian president as saying:

"I am the constitutional head of the Republic of Ghana and the supreme commander of the armed forces."

Tass said Nkrumah "knows about the situation in Ghana" and will continue his tour of Asian countries.

Three Charges Filed by Police

Joel Wooten, 226 Fuch St., was charged with having no city auto sticker, no operator's license and improper registration after his arrest by police.

Leon Robinson route three, Matthews, charged with burglary and larceny, was turned over to Scott county authorities.

Adue Ray Jones, 420 Dorothy, was charged with careless and imprudent driving.

Car Strikes Pedestrian

Zula Fowlkes, 69, a Caruthersville pedestrian, was critically injured last night at 8:35 p.m., while crossing highway 61 in Hayti, the state patrol reported.

She was struck by a 1966 Pontiac, driven by James McCrary, 59, Hayti, as she stepped in front of the passing vehicle while crossing the highway. She is a patient in the Pemiscot Memorial Hospital in Hayti.

On Interstate 55, a half mile north of Scott City, Clinton Toeklington, 26, of South Standard, Ill., was parked on the road after a tire had blown out. His car was struck by a 1958 Pontiac, driven by Anita Speers, 19, Sikeston

The Speers car skidded on the slick pavement into the parked vehicle. Neither driver received injury.

Cape Bond Sales Exception

All counties in the Southeast Missouri, have lagged on the January quota of the U. S. Savings bonds, with a lone exception.

The goal was eight per cent of the annual total.

Scott, Stoddard and New Madrid Counties showed three per cent; Mississippi and Pemiscot two per cent, and Dunklin one percent.

Cape Girardeau county reported 8.6 per cent.

Sales of bonds in the Bootheel were, Scott $17,193, Stoddard, $9,506, Mississippi $5,943, New Madrid $9,450, Pemiscot $6,506 and Dunklin $6,712, according to an announcement by Donald R. Bohannon bond sales chairman for the county.

Snow Covers Nation's East

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Snow covered populous sections of the Eastern quarter of the nation today, disrupting air and highway travel in some cities.

A storm that dumped nearly a foot of snow in Arkansas Thursday swept into areas from the eastern Appalachians into New England. Snow tapered off late Thursday night and early today in some sections, including New York City, Washington and Philadelphia.

Heaviest snowfall was 13 inches at Charlottesville, Va.

Drug Developer Faces Tax Charge

CHICAGO AP -- A complaint charging Dr. Stevan Durovic, 60, developer of Krebiozen, with evading nearly $200,000 in income taxes has been filed before U. S. Commissioner C. S. Bentley Pike.

The complaint, filed Thursday, alleged that Dr. Durovic earned $242,498 in 1960 but that he reported a loss of $115,237 and paid only $216 in income tax.

The complaint contended most of Durovic's income for 1960 was from the sale of Krebiozen, a drug taken by some cancer sufferers, and that he attempted to evade $195,710 in income tax.

Durovic; his brother, Marko, 64, a lawyer; Dr. Andrew C. Ivy, 73, a physiologist; and Dr. William F. P. Phillips, 52, a physician, were acquitted last month by a U. S. District Court jury of mail fraud and conspiracy charges in selling and promoting Krebiozen.

During the past 15 years, 10,000 pizza parlors, $5,000 frozen custard stands, 9,180 fowling alleys and 3,500 drive-in-theaters were opened to satisfy the nation's growing appetite for food and entertainment.

Three Fined For Drinking

Judge E. R. Schrader fined three persons in city court Thursday:

Troy V. Powell, Memphis, pleaded guilty to driving while being intoxicated, and was fined $56.

Don Powell and James Walton, both of Morehouse, both charged with drunkenness, were each fined $12.

Chili Cash to Go to Youth

All money obtained from a Rotary Club chili day Monday will go to support the club's youth activities.

The event will be held all day Monday at the Dunn Hotel.

Kennett Man Dies in Fall

KENNETT, Mo. AP -- Harold Mays, 22, was injured fatally today when he fell from a ladder while working in the Amerson Electric Manufacturing Co. plant.

Aerialist Dies

READING, Pa. AP -- Edwin Snyder, 77, former internationally known circus aerialist, died Thursday.

Speeders Main Offenders In Magistrate Court

NEW MADRID -- Speeders outnumbered other offenders this week in magistrate court but three faced felony charges.

Tommy Angel, charged with assault, waived his preliminary hearing before Judge Erie Wright of Portageville and was ordered held for trial in the circuit court with bond set at $1,000.

Willie Spain and Robert Lee Gray each were charged with burglary and larceny and tampering with a motor vehicle. They waived their preliminary hearings and were bound over to circuit court with bonds set at $1,500 each on the first charge and $1,000 each on the latter.

Exceeding legal speed limits and driving a motor vehicle with out-of-state license brought a fine of $60 to James Robinson.

Those fined for speeding were: Frank Collins, $25, Carroll Lawson Cotton, $11, James Richard Watson, $25, Doyne Clyde Bolden, $20, George Thomas Hogan, $25, Weldon T. Grable, $20, Joseph Elizarde, $25, Harold Brewington, $15; Albert Vincent Balow, $25, Joseph W. Wajak, $25, Edwin J. Goss, $25, and Joseph Francis Allendorff, $15.

Melton Truck Lines paid $110 for operating a motor vehicle without a Missouri public service commission sticker.

Defective brakes violations brought fines of $15 to Stahly Cartage Company and Steel Haulers, Inc.

J. Wayne Hensley and James McArthur Hensley paid $15 each for having no operator's license.

WEATHER REPORT

Clear to partly cloudy through Saturday; cold tonight and cooler Saturday. Lows tonight 20 to 26. Highs Saturday 38 to 45. Sunday cloudy with chance of rain or snow and little chance in temperatures.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24 hours ending at 7:30 a.m. today were 33 and 23. There was a trace of snow.

Sunset today - - - 5:49 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow - 6:34 a.m.
Moonset tonight - - 10:53 p.m.
First Quarter - - - Monday

The planet, Mercury, might be seen tonight low in the west soon after sunset. Mercury is now about 104 million miles from the Earth.

Mao Tze-tung May Be Benched

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Red China's internal propaganda machine hammers so unremittingly on the theme of Mao Tze-tung's Marxist-Leninist sanctity these days that it suggests the Peking leader has given up active direction of party and government affairs.

As an extravagant legend of Mao replaces his physical presence in public, there are signs of pressure on the top leaders of the politburo from the younger party elements. The present propaganda campaign seems to have something to do with this. Perhaps it is a weapon to keep impatient lower echelon elements in check.

The last prominent mention of Mao being seen in public was Nov. 24, and then it was simply at a reception at his home for Anna Louise Strong, the American leftist writer, now living in Peking, on her 80th birthday.

No mention was made in the Peking press of an observance of Mao's 72nd birthday Dec. 26. But for more than a year, the propaganda has been building a cult of worship for Mao as the giver of all Marxist-Leninist wisdom. This campaign is continuing and growing.

The younger party element, men in their 50s who are not veterans of the early party days or of such exploits as Mao's fabled long march of the 1930s, can hardly be suppressed much longer.

There are now 16 members of the ruling politburo. It has admitted no new members since May 1948, and since then four have died and one was purged. The rest are of advanced age.

This inner group gives the appearance of being a collection of equals under Mao, a self-perpetuating hierarchy. But this top leadership soon, in the nature of things, must start dying out.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Friday, February 25, 1584, Dijon, France: Beau Frimmel invents flintlock, locks his flints.

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YOUR PERSONAL INVOLVEMENT IN BROTHERHOOD

Name the leaders in the arts, science, politics, humanities, medicine or any other field. A Kennedy, a Baruch, a Fermi, a Bunche, an Oppenheimer, a Rubinstein, a Ghandi, a U Thant or a Sandy Koufax. What do they have in common? Greatness. . .talent. . .dedication. Yet they are of many different religions and races.

No group has a monopoly on leadership since the potential for greatness is in every man, given his basic rights and equal opportunities and the respect of his fellow citizens. And no man in the United States shall be deprived of his rights, according to the American Constitution. Yet despite the lofty words and all the checks and balances, bias and prejudice still inflict terrible damage upon many of our fellow Americans.

Despite today's sometimes shocking headlines, each year there is more hope for brotherhood and there is progress. But progress toward equal opportunity for all must move ahead much faster. And there is something every individual can do.

The National Conference of Christians and Jews, as sponsor of Brotherhood Week, invites us all to fight prejudice within ourselves, within our homes and within our communities to free this country and the world of hate.

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The Colonel told his daughters: "No matter how lovesick you may be, don't take the first pill that comes along."

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SALUTE TO SYMINGTON

It is ironic that Missouri's Senator Stuart Symington, the first man to hold the job as Secretary of the Air Force and an acknowledged authority on military affairs, should be sniped at by critics of the war in Vietnam for performing a great public service.

The Symington sin, it appears, is that he caught General James A. Gavin changing horses in midstream during his testimony before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee on the conduct of the war. For this the Senator now is being characterized in anti-Administration circles as everything from a nit-picker to a war monger.

General Gavin told the committee that he was highly disturbed about the interpretation put on his now celebrated letter to Harper's magazine on Vietnam. He insisted it had not urged a withdrawal of American troops to coastal enclaves. On the contrary, he said, it clearly stated that our troops should retain the positions they now occupy in South Vietnam while renewed efforts are made to find a peaceful solution to the war without escalating it.

It was at this point that Senator Symington began asking General Gavin some searching questions about his precise position before a national television audience.

We are confident that a careful reading of the Gavin letter will lead any objective reader to the same conclusion that the editors of Harper's themselves placed on the communication. This is what they wrote in their foreword to it:

"In the following letter General Gavin presents the first basic criticism of the Administration's policy in Vietnam by a major military figure. As an alternative, he urges the stopping of our bombing in North Vietnam, a halt in the escalation of the ground war, WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICAN TROOPS TO DEFEND A LIMITED NUMBER OF ENCLAVES ALONG THE SOUTH VIETNAM COAST, and renewed efforts 'to find a solution through the United Nations on a conference in Geneva.' "

General Gavin's words in his letter and his oral statements before the committee struck Senator Symington as peculiar, if not contradictory, as they did a good many other people.

We do not know why the General felt compelled to make a switch in his thinking on the enclave theory, which is what he clearly did. But we do know that he should never have advocated any kind of static strategy in the first place. It takes no deep student of modern warfare to understand that this never leads to anything but defeat.

The French learned this to their profound regret in the Maginot Line and again at Dienbienphu.

Senator Symington deserves praise, not abuse, for trying to pin General Gavin down on exactly how he feels about American stragety in Vietnam.

Globe-Democrat

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JOHN R. ALABAUGH of Cumberland, Maryland, was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and then of the United Railway Operating Crafts. He was fired in 1954 from the B & O Railroad when the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers union obtained a "union shop" contract from the B & O.

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Under "union shop" you are FORCED

To join the union.

To pay dues and fees.

To pay your money to finance political activities selected for you.

To accept rules and regulations dictated by a handful of union officials.

If you believe in Freedom and Oppose Compulsion, write or contact your State legislators and request enactment of a Right to Work law.

A right to work law simply takes the COMPULSION out of unionism.

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Hanson W. Baldwin writes in The Reporter: "It is generally recognized in Washington that the military build-up which President Johnson has now launched represents in effect a short-term 'stopgap' policy. The administration hopes that increased but still limited escalation may yet bring Hanoi and Moscow to the conference table. If not, it is prepared to move swiftly into what Washington calls 'the second phase' of far greater committment. In short, the new road in Vietnam may lead a long way without a turning. It will require national patience and fortitude to a degree unmatched in any previous war the United States has fought."

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President Charles de Gaulle of France is being difficult again but his behavior has been predicted for months.

He was credited with having the idea of banishing any foreigners in command of French troops on French soil when he sought re-election as president.

Now he has done it without surprising anyone.

DeGaulle is chief executive of a second rate power. In the world's poker game of international politics, he has never held a hand of cards, only one or two cards. But DeGaulle plays these cards as if he held a full fisted powerhouse.

It is surprising how often he gets his way and how often greater powers defer to him. He is much admired for this quality.

There are many persons who think that history may prove him more right than wrong on many of the positions that he has taken.

DeGaulle himself is not aware that France is no longer a great power. He believes in the grandeur of France. It is almost a religion to him.

But DeGaulle persists in being stubborn and unfriendly to the United States. He does not appreciate this country's assistance and acts of kindness throughout the years.

Since he invites a pull out of United States military leaders, this country's response should be to accept it and strip France of both men and equipment. Both should be placed elsewhere in European countries which do appreciate our presence and the security that we offer without selfish purpose.

If DeGaulle insists on going it alone he should be given the opportunity.

He must then accept the consequences. These may be fatal for France but that's not our responsibility. It is DeGaulle's and the French people who re-elected him as their chief executive.

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Harold Jones, Missouri Delta Community Hospital administrator, says: "The most effective highway safety sign is the one on the side of the patrol car that says POLICE."

Where the State of Missouri got its revenue fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965:

Recapitulation Funds--$441,-687,172.27

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February 25, 1913 -- After ratification by the states, the sixteenth amendment is declared legal by the Secretary of State. The first amendment to the constitution to be adopted in the twentieth century, it provided for a federal income tax.

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The cherry is closely related to the almond, peach, apricot and plum. These comprise one of the most important fruit groups -- the "stone" fruits.

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AIR BREAKS

Announcement on Station WMNI, Columbus: "Buckeye Federal Savings and Loan will finance your new home with your interest in mind."

Farm Editor on a western radio station, after grumbling about the "citified" commercials he had to read, reached for another and said, "Well, now here's something we can really get our teeth into--fertilizer!"

Announcement of a church service on a Kentucky radio station: "Sermon: The Importance of Babies delivered by the Rev. Russell G. Bisnett."

TV sports announcer describing Army-Navy football game: "And Navy came onto the field with orange phosphorescent helmets on their backs and ends."

New - car commercial on KFDM-TV in Beaumont, Texas: "Monthly payments in many cases will be less than your repair bill."

A Minneapolis radio announcer reported that the victim of an auto accident suffered "at least two broken legs."

The general manager of Cleveland's station WGAR was introducing Ed Sullivan as guest of honor at a luncheon. After briefly recounting Sullivan's long career as head of a TV show, he remarked, "Ed Sullivan has the longest hour show in TV."

In Charlotte, N.C., while the TV screen showed a pistol pointed at viewers for the opening of a Western, the audio portion asked, "What do doctors recommend for headaches?"

Sheriff addressing a TV audience in a Florida town: "I will wipe out prostitution if I have to tie up all my men to do it."

On Station KABL, Oakland, Calif: "After this announcement, we will continue with our uninterrupted music."

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AND HE KNOWS

Traffic rate clerk: "Have you seen the new theater downtown? It has all the latest gadgets."

OS&D Clerk: "What's it like?"

Traffic Rate Clerk: "Boy, it's really something . . . push a button and your seat comes out; press another button and your program comes out; touch another button and the usherette comes out; touch the usherette and your teeth come out!"

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Walking isn't a lost art. How else can we get to the garage?

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Grandpa was entertaining the children with a series of hair-raising yarns in which he sometimes permitted his imagination a liberal rein. The youngsters were drinking it in.

"Yep," Grandpa went on excitedly, "there I was, right in the middle of a ring of dirty redskins. They were closing in on me, ten thousand of 'em, and every one with his arrow pointed straight at me!" Grandpa paused to catch his breath.

"What happened?" cried the children.

"Did the only thing I could do," the old man said with a chuckle, "I joined the Indians."

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The best man at a wedding never has a chance to prove it.

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A TONGUE TWISTER

Read the following sentence over several times, reading it more rapidly each time, and see the trouble your tongue will get into! Here's the sentence:

Ten tongue-tied tailors twisted tinted thistles with their teeth. Who tinted the thistles that the ten tongue-tied tailors twisted?

The squatting squaw seized and squeezed the squirming squirrell.

Pretty perky Peggie's pet Pekinese perched on the purple pillow.

The trig tricky trifler tripped over the ticket-taker's trivot.

She swished the stick the strict Swiss swiped to strike the stringy stripling.

Lively little Lillie likes lizards lots.

The buxom busybody bought the butcher's bushel baskets.

Shy Sheba shivered and shuddered when the shriveled shrew sneered and shuffled by.

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Roy L. Smith, publisher, Chicago, Ill.: "If the world in which you live is a disagreeable place, try changing yourself. If the people around you are unfriendly, try changing yourself. Try putting on a smile in the presence of those who are storming; try speaking a word of thankfulness in the conversation that is filled with complaints; try laughing a bit for the benefit of those who are down-hearted. You will be surprised how quickly the world about you changes when you change your approach to it."

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Strickland Gillilan, journalist, Washington, D. C.: "The first process after hearing something stated should not be an attempt to learn the identity of the person making the assertion, but rather an immediate effort to find if the statement be one of fact or fictions."

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Madison Avenue's definition of death: It's God's way of telling us to slow down!

James R. Wadsworth, V. M. D., Urbana, Ill.: "Almost anyone can become a great person. It does not require fame, fortune, or high position in life. Greatness evolves from an internal metamorphosis -- and inner change and growth which results in a rebirth of the soul. To be great, one must be Christ-like. One must do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with his God."

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IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION

Rightly or wrongly, in many instances decisions of the courts have voided what seemed to be the clear intent of Congress in formulating laws.

That is the case with bank mergers. And this is no small matter. It affects the soundness and stability of the whole banking structure. For, in this dynamic economic era, mergers are often essential if the banks are to provide the best possible financial service to the American people and industry.

Briefly, the situation is this. The Bank Merger Act of 1960 placed the regulation of mergers squarely in the hands of the federal banking supervisory agencies.

So far so good. But, subsequently, court decisions have given the final word on bank mergers to the Justice Department and, in effect, the banking regulatory agencies have been relegated to advisory roles in spite of the fact that Congress said they should have the last word.

The antitrust laws can be used to oppose and prevent mergers, including those effected some years ago, even though this contravenes the intent of Congress as expressed in the Bank Merger Act. And it certainly is clear that the public agencies charged with the duty of examining and supervising banks--which are among the most stringently regulated of businesses -- are best able to decide whether any merger is beneficial to the public or not.

The cure to this chaotic situation lies in a bill introduced by Senator Robertson, chairman of the Senate Banking and Currency Commitee, which makes bank mergers exempt from prosecution under the antitrust laws if they have been approved by the respective supervisory authorities.

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AH THERE, SPOILSPORT

That orange ball seen in a dozen states brought the discussion of flying saucers to a brief crescendo again. One bit of new knowledge was dislodged. You might toss it out when the subject comes up in conversation again. A Harvard astronomer says one of the things people have been seeing when they think they've spotted a genuine UFO is a high-flying spider web.

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A merchant lamented: "I always wanted my son to inherit the business, but the government beat him to it."

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Radio provides communication between the front and rear ends of trains, between trains, between trains and wayside stations. Radio in yard and terminal operations includes the use of portable two-way radio-telephones by ground personnel and radio communication between offices and locomotives.

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"This Nut Out Here Says He Wants 'em Not Only Pretty but SAFE!"

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — More remarks that housewives get tired of hearing —or overhearing:

"Don't you get tired of having nothing to do all day?"

"All right, maybe I have already missed the 7:12 train. I'm tied up with an out of town client. But I'll make the 8:15 for sure. If not, look for me when I get there."

"Why should you get all hot and bothered? Junior won't be eligible for the draft for six more years, and it'll probably be all over by then."

"Sure, I'll bring you breakfast in bed, baby — on your 50th wedding birthday."

"Why is there always more garbage when I carry it out than when you carry it out? Are you skipping your turn?"

"The delivery man from the department store brought a new coat while you were gone. I opened the package, took one look at the price tag, and told him there must be some mistake. He took it back. Anyway, it looked too big for you."

"Why should we go out to eat tonight? Didn't I take you out last month?"

"Frankly, the boss agreed with a lot of the points you told me to make. But he said there were a lot of other fellows ahead of me who needed a raise more."

"What do you mean I never listen to you? I heard every word you said. I heard them all back in 1942, too."

"If you'd majored in electrical engineering in college instead of psychology, honey, you'd be able to fix the vacuum cleaner yourself."

"There isn't time to send my sports jacket to the cleaner's, mom. Can't you just give it a quick press?"

"So that's the new hat everybody in the neighborhood is laughing about? It looks okay to me."

"You simply don't understand, Mama. Don't you remember what it was like to be young and in love?"

"If you aren't ready in five minutes, we're not going at all."

Washington Merry - Go - Round

By Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON -- There were two inside reasons why the United States appeared to walk up the hill to the U. N. Security Council on Viet Nam, then walk down again--away from debate.

Reason No. 1 was because Prime Minister Harold Wilson of England asked us to.

Reason No. 2 was because the Russians, while not asking a postponement, made it diplomatically clear that it would put them in a better position with the Chinese.

The British request was made because Prime Minister Wilson was going to Moscow and hoped that he could do some good with the Russians prior to any forensic slugging match in the Security Council. He hoped to persuade the Russians to join Britain in reviving the former British-Russian partnership for peace in Indo-China.

Wilson had previously requested President Johnson to hold off bombing North Viet Nam until his trip to Moscow, but the President did not do so; so it was decided that the United States could at least honor the request for debate postponement in the U.N.

BITTER COMMUNIST BATTLE

Second inside reason was considered even more important --namely, the strategy of not playing into Chinese hands by putting the Russians on the spot during their bitter debate.

On March 29, one of the most important communist conferences in the last 48 years will be held in Moscow. It will see a final showdown between the Russians and the Chinese, with possibly a diplomatic break resulting.

Russian politicians have been traveling around the Communist world campaigning for the votes of Communist countries against the Chinese. The situation is not unlike an American election during which, at times, Khrushchev deliberately tried not to rock the international boat in favor of the American right wing. Likewise, it was decided in the Johnson administration not to do anything which would rock the boat in favor of the Chinese.

The U. N. Security debate would have put the Russians on the spot by forcing them to veto peace talks. The Chinese have been pounding them with the accusation that they are the "lackeys of American imperialism," trying to pull "American chestnuts out of the Viet Nam fire."

Ambassador Arthur Goldberg had a two-hour session with President Johnson immediately after his return from Honolulu at which time it was decided not to proceed with a U. N. showdown over Viet Nam now. This column can reveal that the above reasons were among the most important factors discussed.

DAWDLING BUREAUCRACY

Chairman Paul Rand Dixon of the Federal Trade Commission, trained by Sen. Estes Kefauver as a rootin'-tootin' trustbuster, is now following milk-and-water policies that would make Kefauver turn over in his grave.

For five years the Trade Commission has been dawdling over unfair monopoly charges brought against the Community Blood Bank in Kansas City. An FTC investigator made a thorough probe. Extensive hearings were held. It was conclusively shown that certain Kansas City pathologists, working inside certain hospitals, boycotted the blood of one blood bank in order to favor a doctor-organized blood bank.

Despite the findings of monopoly and trade discrimination, Chairman Dixon is still sitting, holding up action.

U.N.-GO-ROUND

Before the last Security Council debate, Ambassador Goldberg was urged by one State Department official to charge the Russians with pussy-footing for peace. He declined. "I'm not running for office," he told his State Department friend, "I'm trying to make peace." . . . .Henry Cabot Lodge, now ambassador in Saigon, formerly Eisenhower's ambassador to the U.N., made speech after speech before the TV cameras, verbally punching the Russians. It sounded great domestically, boosted him as a candidate for vice president on the Nixon ticket. But it didn't help the cold war thaw which Eisenhower eventually worked out with Khrushchev. . . .Here is an illustration of how rough the debate is getting between the Russians and the Chinese. The Communist paper Hung Chi recently charged: "The new leaders of the Soviet Communist Party. . .want to sow dissension in Chinese-Vietnamese relations and help the United States in its peace plot. They want to find a way out for U.S. imperialism, to enable it to occupy South Viet Nam permanently.". . .Backing up the Chinese contention that Russia is collaborating with the United States, Hung Chi cited two books published inside Russia on American - Soviet relations which, it said, transformed Presidents Johnson, Kennedy and Eisenhower into "partisans of peace instead of arch war criminals."

Doc. Duncan Says

Gramp we all decided to chip in an buy you a chrystal ball. How come.

Last year you wrote the paper tellin how the Asians wuz gonna set a trap fur Unk an its workin out to a T. You sed them guys over there would keep up the pressure an osciliate jes enough so's Unk would have to do likewise, an when he got enough boys over there they'd spring the trap. Wal ain't nothin mysterious bout that. Thats jes hoss sense. An some of our would-be lawmakers is wakin up now. An a few maybe man enough to admit a mistake in givin one man dicktatership so's most of the boys could go out to play. Some intelligent ones looks like gonna swaller their pride an take that blank check back. See where they is gonna smother ol Kentucky (Ky.) wid multiplied millions so's be can place it in Swis banks for safe keepin. Maybe then if he fur safe keepin maybe then maybe if he can scram in time like others he can jine Madam Nu.

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H. L. Hunt Says

"CONSTRUCTIVE," THE SHREVEPORT TIMES, DECEMBER 3, 1950

Concluding the SHREVEPORT TIMES editorial, "Need for a Word to Help the Bewildered World."

"As for his thoughts on the social - political aspect of current life, Mr. Hunt quite accurately points out that such words as "Liberal," "Conservative," "Tory," "Left," "Right", and "Radical" have been so used, misused and abused these days that their meaning rests entirely within the thoughts of the person using them.

" 'Constructive,' " writes Mr. Hunt, "may designate the portion of the Democratic party opposing radicalism, the part of the Republican party opposing radicalism and lethargy and the part of the States' Rights party that rises above sectional prejudice. 'Constructive' can also fittingly describe the best of conservative, independent, and middle-of-the-road measures and men, and vouches that the principles which it designates are workable and the people it describes are practical.

" 'Constructive' as a name for a faith has this great advantage: When the Communists, Socialists, spies and their powerful sympathizers from among the abnormally intellectual and the excessively wealthy, finding the word popular, attempt to appropriate it as they have in recent years robbed American tradition of so many sacred words, the meaning of 'constructive' is so unyielding and firm that these imposters must prove their fitness. Unable to warp the meaning of the word and unwilling to change their philosophy, they must abandon their Trojan Horse.

"Whatever else it may be, Mr. Hunt's article definitely is -- constructive!"

I am distributing free postpaid my treatise of 4,000 words advocating Constructive as the best word to help the world.

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Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

NO RIFT BEHIND SCENES

Despite Grumbling, Labor Building Ultra - Modern Electronic National Political Machine For President Johnson.

Washington, D. C.: -- There is no rift between the nation's labor chiefs and the nation's Chief Executive.

Despite their public grumbling over guideposts and all the mumbo - jumbo and the in-jargon of economic advisers on both sides, the labor movement is welding one of the most modern political machines in U. S. history to re-elect Democratic candidates and keep complete control of Congress in President Johnson's hands this fall.

The new labor vote - getting machinery will be electronicized. It will be cinematized. It will be visualized.

There is such devotion to Mr. Johnson that virtually all regional labor political training sessions now feature a filmed dialogue between the President of the U. S. and George Meany, president of the AFL-CIO.

To these conferences come congressmen to answer the questions of the trainees -- most of them top and second echelon labor leaders recruited by the famous COPE -- Committee on Political Education.

These parleys also are shown slides to perfect block-by-block techniques of vote - getting, dramatizations of the accomplishments of the Congress and most of all the wizardry of electronic campaigning.

This electronic gadgetry will be the key to future labor electioneering. The hard-driving, round-the-clock COPE director, Al Barkan, is responsible for this innovation which will revolutionize the politics of the future.

While the national labor leaders get their grumbling over 14-B into the headlines, he's setting up his electronic data processing for the byways of the land, the wards and precincts and blocks of the big cities.

This computerized campaigning will be at the disposal of the 51 liberal - labor freshman congressmen who rode in on the Johnsonian coattails. It will be used to elect senators, despite the current civic war with the Democrats. And it will be thrown in behind literally thousands of city and state candidates.

Obviously the outward complaints over the failure to get the 14-B repealer through merely are part of a pressure game to warn the Democrats that they must now produce a higher national minimum wage; federalize the unemployment insurance system as a step towards permanent income for unfortunate jobless; and extend the coverage of present minimum wage laws to some eight million more persons.

But it would be folly for the labor movement to abandon the Democratic coalition, one of the top leaders of COPE's administrative board told his colleagues during the AFL-CIO midwinter sessions in Bal Harbour, Fla.

They would leave themselves open to retaliation at the very moment when the National Right-to-Work Committee is planning a drive to outlaw political spending by labor. The Supreme Court has ruled that unions must return to members who object to labor's political action that part of their dues money used for such purposes.

So Mr. Barkan and his aides now are calling on unions in three areas for copies of their membership lists. These will get top security protection so they don't leak out. The regions are the Baltimore - Washington, D. C., metropolitan districts; the entire state of Pennsylvania, and the nine northern counties of California.

These names will be put on electronic tape. They will be "programmed" so that unions' computers will tell the labor stategists in a few minutes which of the members are registered; the political status of their families; their voting addresses by district and precinct.

From such tapes will come more than fast selective mailings. Automatically, block lists of union members will be quickly prepared for canvassing; delinquents in COPE dollar-per-member drives will easily be picked out; route lists will be prepared for drivers to rush to polls. Walk sheets will be swiftly run off to use by COPE precinct workers on election day.

But 1966 will be prelude. The Baltimore - Washington, D. C., operation will become the pattern for city drives. The Pennsylvania operation will become the standard for state campaigns. And the nine - county California experiment will show how regions can be electronicized and galvanized.

By 1968 the entire COPE apparatus may well be put on a data processing basis -- to re-elect President Johnson and a liberal - labor Congress.

Pay no heed to the grumbling. The coalition still is tight.

The Women's Page

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Jerold Siena

Theodore Lambrinos

Adele Baker

Maria Albanese

Golden Curtain Quartet To Present Concert

The second concert of the Community Concert series will be presented by Maestro Kurt Adler of the Metropolitan Opera Company under whose sponsorship the Golden Curtain Quartet was born. The concert will be at 8 p.m. Saturday at the Charleston high school auditorium.

Maestro Adler came to the United States from great successes in his native Czechoslovakia where he made his debut as a conductor, in Berlin, Vienna, Prague, and throughout the European Continent. In addition to a very active career as conductor for the Metropolitan Opera Company, Maestro Adler has been musical director of the Opera Nacional and Opera de Mexico in Mexico City, the Central City Opera Festival in Colorado, the Greej Theatre in Hollywood, and has had numerous guest appearances from coast to coast.

Maestro Adler selected Maria Albanese to sing the soprano roles for the Golden Curtain Quartet. A young musician who made her debut while still a student with the Rhode Island Philharmonic, singing Puccini and Bizet arias, Miss Albanese has since sung the roles of "Martha", and Mimi in "La Boheme" as well as Nedda in "I Pagliacci". In April, 1964, she made her Carnegie Hall debu' and has been a steadily rising star, completing an extensive concert tour of the Midwest before joining the Golden Curtain Quartet this fall.

Adele Baker is mezzo-soprano of the Golden Curtain Quartet. Miss Baker has commanded the favor of the musical world in just four years as a professional artist, for her remarkable portrayals of Amneris in "Aida" and the title role of "Carmen." On the lighter side she has been a highly successful tour with the National Company of "The Sound of Music" and has been featured in a number of productions at the Paper Mill Playhouse. She will be heard in solo numbers and duets Saturday evening in addition to filling her role in the quartet.

Tenor Jerold Siena has had many successful appearances to his credit in such notable operatic groups as the American Opera Society in Carnegie Hall, Boris Goldovsky's Opera Theater, and the Metropolitan Opera Studio. Siena will be heard in a variety of numbers during the Delta Community Concert. In addition to participating in the quartet numbers from "Kismet", and "Rigoletto," he will sing with Miss Albanese in duet from "Bittersweet", and will join Miss Albanese and Lambrinos in the rolicking trio from "die Fledermaus."

Theodore Lambrinos, baritone of the Golden Curtain Quartet is a Metropolitan Opera auditions winner who has made many appearances with the American Opera Society in Carnegie Hall, his most recent appearances being in Donezetti's "Roberto Devereux" and Benjamin Britten's "Billy Budd". His versatility will be amply demonstrated in the concert Saturday. He will sing such widely varied roles as Nadir in "The Pearl Fishers" of Bizet and the Soliloquy from "Carousel."

The Modern Christian

"How can we possibly take writers and dramatists of this age seriously if they will have nothing to do with God?"

Today's serious dramatists speak of the loss of meaning in life, the failure of communication and the death of God. Samuel Beckett, in his plays, "Endgame," and "Waiting for Godot," labors these ideas with compelling and persuasive dialogue.

It would be dishonest to disregard these assertions as the production of a discontented and untrustworthy writer. To begin a dialogue with the assumption that the other party is not really worthy of being taken seriously is disrespectful and a disavowal of Paul's charge to love.

We must listen to the questions of modern man and reflect how Christ responded to men of his day. The Lord's Gospel of freedom must not be hidden by outdated structures and language. Jesus does have the answers to the problems of the human condition, no matter how complex they may be.

We need not fear the puzzling problems of fantasy in "The Night of the Iguana," nor the ambiguities of human character in "A Ship of Fools."

Rolf Hochhuth's "The Deputy" attacked one of the religious personalities of the twentieth century. The dust that followed obscured a major issue. Was it really the wisest of actions to write a concordat with a political power that thrived on discrimination? All this must be seen in the context of the times.

Yet, it would be dishonest to refuse to look at it at all. If seeing demands a change, let us not be too proud to bend. If reading and listening of the secular man invites the worth of involvement and the careful rethinking of our message, then let us begin.

And by the way, there are many Christians who "will have nothing to do with God."

Questions? Write: Rev. T. Staed, 217 West Center Street, Sikeston, Missouri.

Spelling Team Wins Round

MATTHEWS--The sixth grade spelling team of Matthews R-V school won the initial round in the KFVS television spelling bee held at Cape Girardeau Friday. The team, composed of Jeanie Cantrell, Michael Whitlock, Rebecca Stroud, Brian Tippett, Diane McMillen, and alternate, Sandra Clark, was accompanied by Mrs. Bernice Stafford and Troy Tippett.

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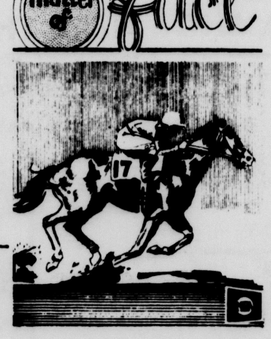

The outstanding American sire of thoroughbred race horses during the 20th century has been Bull Lea. This stallion sired more than 816 starters, who earned more than $10,500,000, an average of over $13,000 per runner per year. The greatest thoroughbred sire ever recorded was the unbeaten St. Simon, whose offspring raced in Great Britain from 1889 to 1912. Their earning power was almost five times the average expectancy.

Rev. Cantrell To Be Guest Speaker Sunday

The Rev. Robert Cantrell, the new pastor of the Morley Church of God, will be speaking in both worship services of the Tanner Street Church of God Sunday.

The Rev. Vernon Guttenfelder will be moving to Sikeston next week from Vancouver, Wash. to assume the pastoral leadership of the local church.

Horses were hunted widely for food long before they became domesticated about 3000 B.C. Mounted invaders from the north brought them into the valleys of the Tigris and Euphrates as early as 2000 B.C. They had reached China well before 1500 B.C. They were kept for flesh as well as for riding purposes; earlier they had been used for chariots and other transport.

Cotton Cues

Egg Prices Are Down

By SALLY RYAN

NEW YORK AP -- Egg prices dropped this week.

They were the first to feel the effect of relaxation of Roman Catholic Church dietary regulations. Dealers said the change might cut consumption of eggs.

Fish sales also may be cut, but not as much as if Roman Catholics could eat meat on Friday.

The fish industry, however, is preparing a promotion plan to get people to eat more fish.

One fish, canned red salmon, is listed as a best buy this week, along with broilers and turkeys.

Beef roasts and steaks are advertised at special prices in some areas. But pork still is relatively high with a limited supply.

Prices of snap beans, limas, corn, peaches, tuna fish and catsup are higher. So is honey.

Prices of canned pears and frozen peas are moving lower, inspiring specials in the nation's markets.

Peanuts, peanut butter, onions and prunes also are plentiful.

Cabbage, carrots, celery, lettuce, peppers, squash, sweet potatoes and tomatoes offer good buys, along with avocados, apples and bananas.

Social Calender

THURSDAY

Sikeston Chapter No. 137, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet in regular session Thursday, Feb. 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Temple. A special program will be presented by the worthy patron and the associate patron. All members are urged to attend.

THURSDAY

American Legion Post 114 will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24 at the Legion Hall.

THURSDAY

The Entre Nous Club will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24, with Mrs. Walter Rayburn, 310 Sikes.

SATURDAY

The ways and means committee of the Morley Chapter No. 342, Order of Eastern Star, will sponsor a stew and chili day Saturday, Feb. 26, in the dining room of the Masonic Temple in Morley. Serving will begin at 11 a.m. and continue throughout the day.

SATURDAY

The Job's Daughters will meet at 7:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, at the Masonic Temple for a trip to Memphis.

SATURDAY

The Happy Hoofers Square dance club will meet at 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, at the Airport school. All square dancers are welcome.

SUNDAY

Auditions for children for the Little Theatre production, "The King and I", will be at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 27, at the junior high school music room.

MONDAY

The Gleaners Class of the First Baptist church will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28, at the church.

MONDAY

Adult auditions for parts in the Little Theatre production, "The King And I" will be at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28, and Tuesday, March 1, in the music room of junior high school.

MONDAY

The Junior Woman's Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28, in the community room of Security National Bank.

TUESDAY

The Woman's Club will sponsor a benefit card party in the community room of Security National Bank, Tuesday, March 1. Sessions begin at 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. The public is invited.

TUESDAY

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist church will meet at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 1, at the church.

Competitive shooting attracts more participants on a world basis than any other sporting activity except track and other field sports.

Rev. James Kratz

Missionaries To Speak Sunday

The Rev. and Mrs. James Kratz, missionaries to Brazil, South America, are on furlough in the United States and will speak Sunday at the First Church of the Nazarene, Scott and Trotter streets, at 2 :30 p.m.

This is their first furlough since being assigned to Brazil in 1960 by the department of world missions, Church of the Nazarene.

Their first assignment was to Campinas for language study. While there Rev. Kratz was the youth director for the Campinas Church of the Nazarene. It was also during this time that Rev. Kratz, who is an accomplished organist, produced several records of organ music through the Central Audio - Visual Evangelical located in Campinas. In 1962 he was placed as pastor of the Sao Paulo Church of the Nazarene and began teaching in the Nazarene Bible school located there. In 1964 he began pastoring the Campinas Central Church of the Nazarene and continued his teaching positions. During this time he was also serving as the district treasurer.

The missionary service will feature the work of the Church of the Nazarene in Brazil. The challenge of an open field, the need for chapels and the value of Christian literature will be emphasized.

Rev. Kratz was born in Illinois. He received his bachelor of arts degree from Cascade College, Portland, Oregon in 1949 with a major in religion and music. He later attended the Nazarene Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Missouri. Prior to his appointment overseas Rev. Kratz served as a pastor on the Oregon - Pacific District, Church of the Nazarene for eleven years.

Rev. and Mrs. Kratz with the youngest of their three boys will be living in Oregon during their furlough year.

Doctor Ordered Savings Bonds

Dr. Leo J. Kerne, Director of the Charity Hospital of Louisiana, New Orleans, has a long and profitable acquaintance with the U. S. Savings Bonds program which is celebrating its 25th Anniversary this year.

Dr. Kerne started buying bonds in 1941 and has been buying them ever since. He started out at a $50-a-month pace, gradually increasing his purchases as his practice grew and switched to Payroll Savings in 1956.

With his accumulation of bonds, Dr. Kerne has been able to send his three oldest daughters to college and to build a supplemental retirement fund.

His comment — "Savings Bonds have provided a backlog of personal security for myself and my family and I feel that an important part in assuring our Nation's safety and economic stability and growth is played by everyone who purchases Savings Bonds."

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Hospital Notes

Patients Admitted to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital February 24, 1966

Debbie Smith, Charleston
David Berry, Essex
Robert Green, Sikeston
Alice Harris, Charleston
Charles Coffer, Charleston
Cora Bennett, East Prairie
Carl Cimplins, East Prairie
J. B. Cooper, East Prairie
Willie Brock, Lilbourn
Thomas Wilson, East Prairie
Karen Sparks, Morehouse
Bettye Patton, Sikeston
Bess Boone, Charleston

Patients Dismissed Feb. 24

Clara Ralph, Sikeston
James Brannon, Sikeston
Lena Moore, Canalou
Lucille Potashnick, Sikeston
Larry Gady, Sikeston
Cyd Mitchell, Sikeston
Patricia Phillips, Sikeston
Helen Coats, Sikeston
Baby Girl Harris, Sikeston
Agnes McGee, Matthews
Ruth Limbough, Sikeston
Goldie Cook, Sikeston
Mrs. Louise Fitzgerald and Baby Girl, Wyatt
Sheila Zilafro, Matthews
Lucy Forrest, Sikeston
Louann King, Sikeston

Mrs. Carolyn Burnett of Dexter has been admitted to Poplar Bluff Hospital.

Mrs. Carolyn Burnett and Mrs. Margaret Persfull, both of Dexter, have been dismissed from Poplar Bluff Hospital.

Elmer Edwards, Mrs. Annie Fairless, Carl Needham, all of Dexter, and Mrs. Gladys Allen of Essex have been admitted to Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Herman Mills of Dexter has been released from Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Mrs. Bessie Almond of Bloomfield has been admitted to Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Noah Gibson of Wyatt, Miss Lou Ann Allen and Mrs. Lula Kirkpatrick, both of East Prairie, have been discharged from St. Mary's Hospital in Cairo, Ill.

Claude Drennan and Alta Minor, both of Charleston, Robert Florence of Bertrand and Cecil Taylor of East Prairie have been admitted to St. Mary's Hospital in Cairo, Ill.

BARBS

BY WALTER C. PARKES

Funny how some friends become mere acquaintances right after you lose your money.

An inferiority complex makes us glad others don't see us as we see ourselves.

Auto clubs offer easy traffic safety courses for pedestrians.

Up to now they had to learn the hard way.

This year, southern folk learned that Jack Frost is no northern myth.

World Day of Prayer Service Planned Tonight

The Ethel Mae missionary society of the Second General Baptist church is sponsoring a special World Day of Prayer service at 7 p.m. tonight.

Assisting with program and participating will be the First General Baptist church, Little Vine General Baptist church and the Morehouse General Baptist church.

A girls trio from Poplar Bluff will be featured.

The Rev. Alpha Warren, Poplar Bluff, will be the guest speaker.

The public is invited.

World Day of Prayer Observed Today

MOREHOUSE -- The World Day of Pray was observed at the Rauch-Spence Memorial Methodist church today at 1:30 p.m.

Participating were Mrs. E. J. Kerr and the pastor of the Pentecostal church and the Rev. Nathaniel Lewis, who gave the invocation. Other leaders were the Rev. Terah Perry, pastor of the Assembly of God church, Mrs. Charles Albright, song leader; Mrs. William Dillion, Mrs. Nelson Gruen, Mrs. A. W. Summers, and Mrs. Frank Kesler. The school children participated.

Matthews 4-H Club Sees Film

MATTHEWS -- The Matthews 4-H Club met at the community center Thursday, Feb. 17. The meeting was opened with pledges to the American Flag and the 4-H Flag led by Wayne Kem and Paul Lomax. Charles Conrad presided during the business session when plans were made to attend the 4-H charter night at New Madrid on March 4.

Allen Carter of the New Madrid County Library showed a film "Reptiles". Members found it to be educational as it showed the different kinds of snakes, identifying the ones that were poisonous and the ones that were not harmful and helped to keep in balance the wild life in the animal kingdom.

Refreshments were served and games were played.

QUICK QUIZ

Q—What is the difference in weight of a man's heart compared to a woman's.

A—A man's heart weighs around 11 ounces, a woman's 9 ounces.

Q—What lichen may have been the manna mentioned in the Bible?

A—Cup moss, which is eaten by natives of middle Asia.

Woman of the Year Plans Being Completed

A panel of high school seniors, members of the Natonal Forensic League, presented the program to the Business and Professional Woman's Club Wednesday night at the Rustic Rock. The discussion was on Viet Nam. The program was provided by the World Affairs committee, Mrs. Mildred Robinson, Mrs. Bill Storey, Mrs. Edna Husband and Mrs. Nell McReynolds.

The panel was composed of Deidre Harber, leader; Phil Barkett, Dean Childers, Eugene Hitt, Dale Morris, Richard Montgomery, and John Pasaka. A question and answer period followed the discussion.

Mrs. Walter Powell, president, conducted a business meeting. Mrs. W. U. Myers, chairman of the Woman of the Year banquet central committee, reminded members that Dr. Kenneth McFarland will be the speaker at the banquet March 10 at the Armory and that he is vitally interested in selling America to Americans. She also said that he is a active foe of Communism.

Mrs. Powell read a letter from the Chamber of Commerce inviting the club to submit a candidate for the Man of the Year award. The committee appointed to select a candidate is Mrs. Albert Peters, Jr. Mrs. Rovena Hillsman, Mrs. Bill Storey and Mrs. Albert L. Marks.

A nominating committee to select a slate of officers for 1966-1967 was also appointed. Members of this committee are Miss Electa O'Hara, Miss Almaretta Sidwell, Mrs. Lorene Limbaugh, Mrs. C. R. Foster and Mrs. Melfred Taylor.

Three new members were voted into the club. They are Mrs. Bob Hatley, Mrs. Donald Miller and Mrs. W. C. Reid.

The club voted to designate $28 to the loan closet to be applied on a indebtedness which was incurred to replenish the supply of wheel chairs, hospital beds and appliances used by the handicapped.

Members who plan to attend the Kansas City conference in April were urged to register with the president in order for the club to plan to charter a bus. Thirty - nine members are needed to get a round trip for $18 per person.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Paul DuSablon, Mrs. W. B. Cunningham, Miss Mary Ann Meyer and Mrs. Harold Rogers.

The tables were decorated with American flags and red and white tapers. Large and miniature world globes appointed the tables and red, white and blue runners decorated the centers of the tables. Mrs. Peters gave the club collect and Mrs. Robert Black gave the emblem benediction.

Mrs. Powell and Mrs. Myers will appear on the Channel 12 "Breakfast Show" on KFVS television Monday to be interviewed and to discuss the Woman of the Year banquet.

Mrs. Fred Tope, Jr., ticket sales chairman, said that her ticket team captains had reported that sales are going well and she urged members to fill ticket orders immediately.

Mrs. R. Clinton Scott reported for Mrs. Carl Campbell that the hospitality committee will meet for a briefing session at the armory at 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 9. All other members were asked to be present to assist with final preparations.

"Just Arrived"

LONGSTREET

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Longstreet are the parents of a baby boy born Feb. 24 at the Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Less than 2 per cent of the 10,000 inmates of Knox County (Tennessee) jail had ever owned fishing or hunting licenses, and less than 1 per cent of the FBI's "most wanted" criminals over the past 10 years had been Boy Scouts.

WRINKLES

by Marie Davant

NEW YORK: Chemical science has found a white substance made with quicksilver that works wonders on wrinkled, roughened face and hands. Use it one time and it is entirely possible you will see improvement next morning. In a few days dry-skin wrinkles start to vanish. Many of the small ones around the eyes and mouth have already disappeared. But that is not all! "Old-Age" (weathered) brown spots on hands and arms, brown "age" darkness on surface of face and neck fades away! Rich oils lubricate pores so blackheads can slip out without squeezing. Surface pimples and blemishes, and scars, outwardly caused, dry up or become less noticeable! But don't take my word for it. Make a 6-day test without risking one penny. Just get a jar of Peacock's Imperial Creme at your favorite department or drug store. Use this thrilling cream for 6 days and if you are not delighted with results, full price will be refunded. No questions asked. Peacock's Imperial Creme can work wonders for wrinkles, lines, brown spots and other weathered blemishes. You may obtain Imperial Creme for $2.00 from Shy's Drug. Clip this out.

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Southland and Lilbourn Move Into Semi-Finals

HAYTI -- Southland rang up its second upset of the class "M" tournament here last night as they defeated the host school Hayti North 60-55. And in the second game of the evening third seeded Lilbourn eked past North Pemiscot 50-45.

In the first game of the evening Southland jumped out to an early lead of 17-9 and held the lead throughout the game, as Hayti was never able to regain their winning stride.

Southland paced by Markin and Staggs with 19 and 12 points respectively beat the favored Hayti five at their own game.

Hayti was paced by four players hitting in doube figures with Watkins and Johnson scoring 12 points each and Joy and Gardner chipping in with 11 each.

In the second game of the evening Lilbourn playing control ball and fine defense contained the Mustangs from North Pemiscot to only 14 points the entire first half while scoring 22 points the first half to take the lead. Lilbourn let up the second half and almost met defeat as the Mustangs outscored Lilbourn 31-28 the last half.

Lilbourn led by Tommy Gee with 19 points and 14 rebounds and Lynn Long with nine points won a chance at the championship. North Pemiscot was paced by White and Maronay with 11 points each.

Southland (60)				
Markin	8	3	3	19
Staggs	5	2	4	12
Dickerson	2	2	3	6
Johnson	4	1	2	9
Smith	4	0	2	8
Patty	1	4	2	6
Totals	24	12	16	60
Hayti North (55)				
Newsom	4	1	5	9
Watkins	3	6	5	12
Joy	5	1	3	11
Johnson	5	2	3	12
Haynes	0	0	2	0
Gardner	4	3	3	11
Totals	21	13	21	55
Score by quarters				
Southland	17	15	9	19
Hayti North	9	13	12	21
Lilbourn (50)				
Gee	7	5	5	19
Bodine	3	0	5	6
Bowen	2	2	1	6
Long	3	3	4	9
Blankenship	0	2	4	2
Baughman	3	2	2	8
Haralson	0	0	1	0
Totals	18	14	22	50
N. Pemiscot (45)				
Atnip	2	1	2	5
Allen	1	0	1	2
Howell	1	7	3	9
Edmonds	0	2	1	2
Miller	1	3	5	5
White	4	3	2	11
Maronay	4	3	3	11
Totals	13	19	17	45
Score by quarters				
Lilbourn	8	14	17	11
N. Pemiscot	5	9	15	16

Notre Dame Hands Woodland 84-62 Defeat, and Illmo Runs Past Patton 90-70 In 'M' Tourney

SCOTT CITY -- Notre Dame and Illmo-Scott City were victorious here last night in quarterfinal play of the class "M" regional tournament.

Notre Dame beat Woodland of Lutesville 84-62 in what was the 17th win for the Bulldogs from Notre Dame.

Notre Dame had little trouble as they raced to a first quarter lead of 23-14, and established a 41-23 half time edge and went on to win with the reserves playing the last half.

Poston and Compas combined for a total of 41 points with Poston collecting 25 points and Compas 16 to lead the Bulldogs to the win.

Hahs led Woodland scorers with 21 points and was the team captain from the field.

Notre Dame now will move into the Semi-Finals which will be p'ayed tonight with Oran and East Prairie playing at 7 and being followed by the game between Notre Dame and Illmo-Scott City.

In the second game of the evening Illmo-Scott City posted a 90-70 win.

After a close first half with neither team establishing more than a six point lead, Scott City came out the second half after a good pep talk by coach Cookson, and tallied a 56 point second half while holding Patton to 35.

Illmo was led by Crabtree with 20 points and was followed by McSwain and Payne with 18 points each.

Davis and Revelle led Patton scorers with 14 points each.

Notre Dame (84)				
Flaker	5	1	4	11
Compas	6	4	0	16
Wolfers	7	0	2	14
Posten	11	3	3	25
Rovert	3	2	4	8
Buchek	2	1	1	5
Jobe	0	0	1	0
Ziegler	2	0	4	4
Scott	0	0	1	0
Kochler	0	1	0	1
Totals	26	12	20	84
Woodland (62)				
Crader	3	4	2	10
Hahs	10	1	4	21
Crites	3	1	4	7
Filer	3	4	4	10
Long	1	12	3	14
Totals	20	22	17	62
Score by quarters:				
Notre Dame	23	18	22	21
Woodland	14	9	16	23

Illmo-Scott City (90)

Blattel	6	1	2	13
Payne	7	4	2	18
Wadlington	4	2	3	10
Brant	5	1	2	11
Crabtree	10	0	1	20
McSwain	9	0	3	18
Totals	41	8	13	90
Patton (70)				
Davis	2	10	1	14
Wilfong	6	0	3	12
Mungle	4	1	1	9
Hardo	1	0	0	2
Revell	6	2	3	14
Bailey	5	0	0	10
Waller	2	1	2	5
Brotherton	1	2	1	4
Totals	27	16	11	70
Score by quarters:				
Illmo	16	18	25	31
Patton	20	15	12	23

Cheyney State, running its unbeaten string to 24 with a pair of victories, has zoomed to the top of The Associated Press small-college basketball rankings.

The Wolves from Pennsylvania took over first place from the Southern Illinois Salukis, who had led the nationwide poll for seven straight weeks. The Salukis dropped all the way to fourth after taking their fifth loss of the season, 85-83 to Indiana State Saturday night.

Five of the 14 experts on A P's panel put Cheyney first on their ballots. Runner-up North Dakota, 20-3, got three firsts; Grambling, 19-3, received one and stayed in third, and two went to Southern Illinois.

Sixth-ranked Northern Michigan, Abilene Christian and Colorado State College collected the three other firsts.

Indiana State climbed from ninth to fifth with its victory over Southern Illinois, North Michigan fell one spot to sixth, Tennessee State and Evansville remained seventh and eighth, Seattle Pacific moved up one place to ninth and Youngstown, beaten twice last week, went from sixth to 10th.

The Top Ten, with records through Saturday, Feb. 19, and points:

1.	Cheyney State 24-0	105
2.	North Dakota 20-3	89
3.	Grambling 19-3	83
4.	Southern Ill. 15-5	74
5.	Indiana State 22-3	61
6.	Northern Mich. 15-4	58
7.	Tenn. State 17-3	40
8.	Evansville 16-7	31
9.	Seattle Pacific 22-3	26
10.	Youngstown 17-3	24

JERRY YOUNT, of Parma, scoring two points against St. Henry in a quarter final game in the Class "S" Regional tournament at Parma. Uthoff of St. Henry tries to stop the score. Parma won 104-76.

Whitson Leads Parma to Win with 33 Points, Leopold Wins Over Zalma 82-72

PARMA -- In quarter - final games here last night Parma walloped St. Henry's of Parma 104-76, and Leopold won over Zalma 82-72.

In the first game of the evening Parma found themselves with a tough opponent as St. Henry's stayed within two points of the second seeded Pirates. Parma holding a slim 23-19 first quarter lead came out the second quarter and tallied a total of 35 points and holding St. Henry to 19 for the second quarter in a row. A total of 60 personal fouls were called in this game, with Parma collecting 35 and St. Henry 15.

Parma was hampered in the first quarter when Stan Whitson, district leading scorer collected his third foul with only three minutes being played in the first period, and he had to set out the remainder of the first period.

As the second period started Parma began to press and with Whitson back into action, the Pirates wheeled off 16 straight points with Whitson accounting for 12 of the first 16, he ended the second quarter with 19 points.

Harold Sapp, playmaker and team captain led the Pirates in the first and third quarters as he collected all of his 24 points in those two quarters.

Stan Whitson, who only played a small portion over two quarters tallied a total of 33 points for the night, this brings his average for the regional to 33 points, and the entire Parma squad is averaging a total of 100 points per game in the regional. Uthoff and Simmons head the scoring for St. Henry with 16 points each.

In the second game of the evening Leopold held off a stubborn Zalma five as they sailed to the semi-finals with a 82-72 win.

Leopold outscored their opponents in every quarter except the fourth quarter, when Zalma held a 24-21 advantage.

Stoverik and Holzum led Leopold to their victory with 19 points each and were followed by Nenninger and Hutchings with 15 and 14 points respectively. For Zalma it was Tolbert with 22 points.

Parma and Leopold will meet tonight in the semi-finals at 8:30.

Parma (104)				
Whitson	13	7	3	33
Lutes	3	0	5	6
Sapp	8	8	4	6
Davis	1	1	5	3
Daniels	4	2	2	10
Womack	2	1	4	5
Yount	1	8	5	10
Gibson	2	1	3	5
Dixson	2	2	2	6
Biggs	1	0	1	2
Totals	37	30	35	104
St. Henry (76)				
Uthoff	3	10	5	16
Bauenderman	7	1	2	15
O'Rourke	1	0	0	2
Bledsoe	1	1	4	3
Simmons	4	8	4	16
Baundendistel	3	4	5	10
Wills	6	0	5	12
Carr	1	0	0	2
Totals	26	24	25	76
Score by quarters:				
Parma	23	35	26	20
St. Henry	19	19	21	17
Leopold (82)				
Nenninger	7	1	2	15
Elfrink	4	0	5	8
Janson	2	2	3	6
Stoverik	6	7	3	19
Holzum	6	7	3	19
Beussink	0	1	0	1
Hutchinser	5	4	5	14
Totals	30	22	21	82
Zalma (72)				
Rhodes	2	0	2	4
Talbert	8	6	3	22
Payne	4	2	5	10
Cantrell	2	2	5	9
Fish	3	0	5	6
Bullinger	3	3	5	9
Price	1	2	1	4
Moore	1	6	3	8
Totals	24	24	31	72

High Shool Regional Tournament Round-Up of Scores

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REGIONAL TOURNAMENTS

CLASS M

Semifinals

Bloomfield 84, Malden 49

Greenville 62, Puxico 60

Quarter-finals

At Flat River

Hillsboro 74, Desloge 62

Ironton Arcadia Valley 64, Flat River 59

At Illmo-Scott City

Cape Girardeau Notre Dame 84, Woodland 62

Illmo-Scott City 90, Patton 70

At Hayti

Cardwell Southland 60, Hayti North 55

Lilbourn 50, North Pemiscot 45

At Bowling Green

Montgomery City 67, Winfield 39

Vandalia-Farber 57, Warrenton 50

At Cuba

Pacific 45, Newburg 40

Hermann 65, Belle 28

At Brentwood

St. Louis Country Day 65, Fairview 55

Brentwood 82, St. Charles Duchesne 77

St. Louis DeSales 77, O'Fallon St. Dominic 70

At Monett

McDonald County 57, Pierce City 41

Joplin McAuley 53, Carl Junction 36

Jasper 37, Seneca 36

At Cabool

Licking 77, Mansfield 59

Houston 70, Willow Springs 56

At Springfield

Republic 90, Rogersville 82

Willard 79, Conway 50

Bolivar 67, Marshfield 48

At Eldon

Eldon 56, Tipton 52

California 71, Camdenton 68

At Fayette

Centralia 50, Marceline 43

Ashland 61, Concordia St. Pauls 51

At Harrisonville

El Dorado Springs 79, Sherwood 56

Windsor 70, Rich Hill 41

At King City

Maysville 50, Princeton 39

Savannah 59, Tarkio 53

At Platte City

Lawson 64, West Platte 61

Oak Grove 72, Plattsburg 59

Higginsville 45, Lexington 41

CLASS S

Quarter-finals

At Brashear

Elmer 76, Ethel 33

LaBelle 72, New Cambria 53

At Gilman City

Cainsville 75, Ridgeway 46

Laredo 63, Newtown Harris 61

At Brunswick

Chillicothe St. Joseph 63, Hale 53

Brunswick 108, Bogard 72

At Hannibal

Monroe City Holy Rosary 87, Madison 63

At Parma

Parma 104, Charleston St. Henry 76

Leopold 82, Zalma 61

At Harrisburg

Columbia University High 67, Prairie Home 52

Hallsville 85, Pilot Grove 47

Harrisburg 54, Renick 45

At Jefferson City

Crocker 58, Eugene 44

New Haven 54, St. Elizabeth 35

Tuscumbia 56, Chamois 37

At Nixa

Springfield Greenwood 62, Blue Eye 60

Hurley 53, Reeds Spring 50 overtime

At Sheldon

Bronaugh 54, Golden City 47

Sheldon 55, Walnut Grove 45

Metz 61, Greenfield 53

At Wheaton

Crane 72, Verona 47

Wheaton 63, Southwest City 54

At Urbana

Pleasant Hope 48, Fair Play 46, 2 overtimes

Urbana Skyline 55, Plato 39

Fair Grove 54, Weaubleau 47

At Maryville

Rockport 44, Holt 35

North Andrew 69, Fairfax 50

Jefferson of Conception Junction 60, Mound City 59

At Winston

Winston 66, Kidder 63

North Platte 49, Polo 44

Dekalb 58, Ludlow Southwest 52

At Montrose

Miami Amsterdam 71, Lowry City 48

Calhoun 52, Lincoln 42

At Alma

Malta Bend 58, Stet 53

Hardin 57, Alma La Salle 48

Corder 56, Grand Pass Santa Fe 51

BARBS

BY WALTER C. PARKES

February is a short month, but not so short there's no time to dash off a check for the Heart Fund.

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Many a beautiful romance ends in marriage.

Bloomfield and Greenville Meet For Championship

BLOOMFIELD -- In Semi-Final play last night Bloomfield walloped Malden 84-49 and Greenville upset second seeded Puxico 62-60.

In the first game of the evening Bloomfield with a devastating attack had Malden 40-9 at one time during the ball game, and completely dominated play the entire game.

Mike Wise, star sensation for the Wildcats tallied a total of 36 points and only played a portion over half the game, Mike also pulled down 16 rebounds. The entire Wildcat team displayed fine hustle and good team spirit.

Malden was led by Provance with 16 points.

In the second game of the evening Greenville behind the 28 points production of McClain eked past Puxico 62-60.

Art Norris led Puxico scorers, who were behind from the opening buzzer with 15 points.

Puxico will meet Malden at 7 for third place honors.

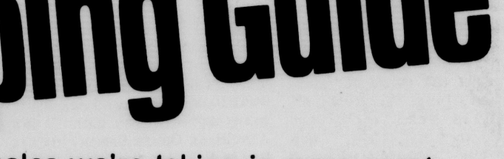
Bloomfield and Greenville will battle it out for first place honors here tonight at 8:30.

The winner of tonight's game will travel to Flat River for a game Monday.

The Wildcats placed third in the state last year and things look very good for a possible state championship this year.

Dalai Lama's Successor

When a Grand Lama dies in Tibet, his spirit is thought to enter the body of a newborn baby boy. Monks search the country for a boy believed to have been born at the time the Grand Lama died, and this boy becomes his successor.



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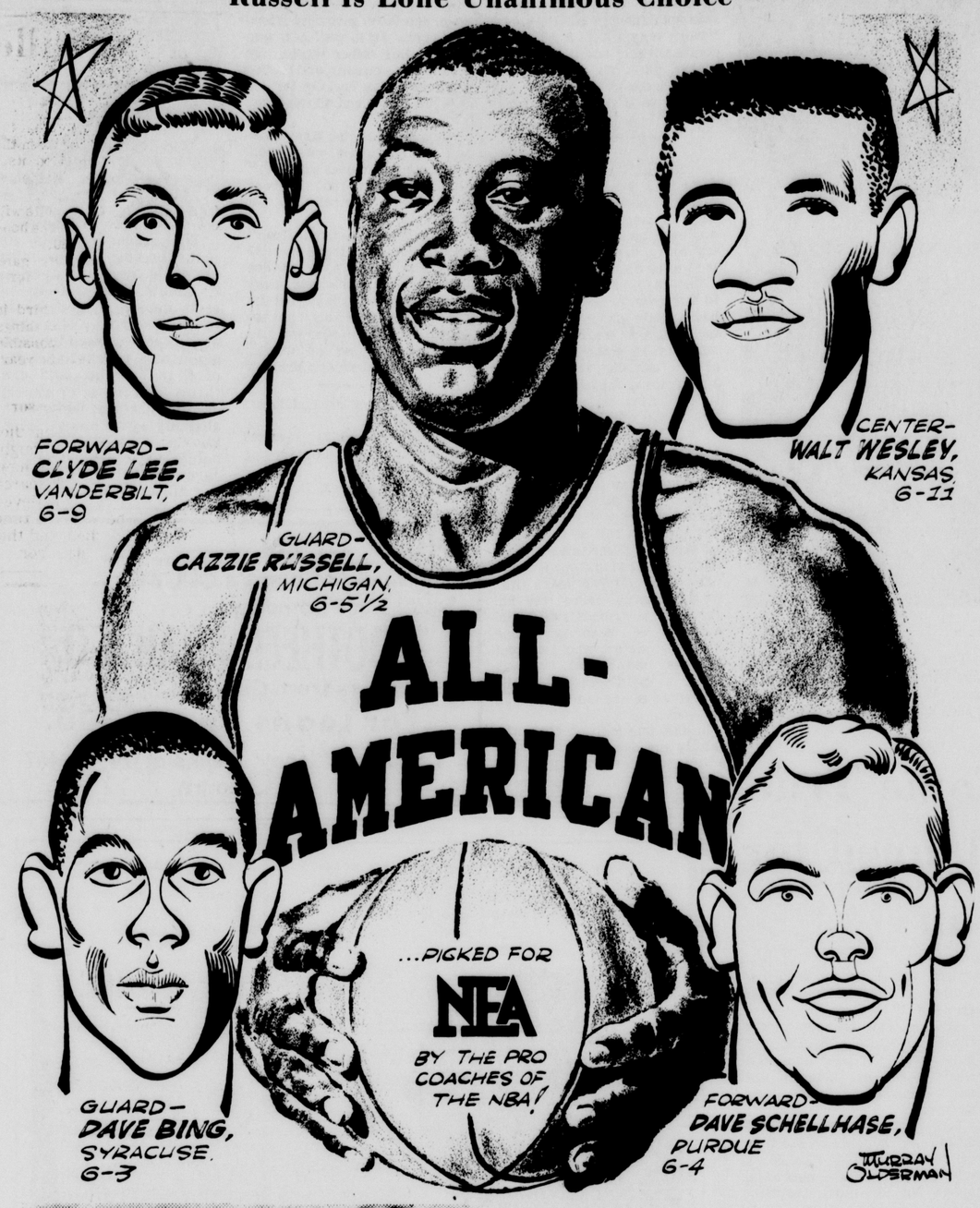

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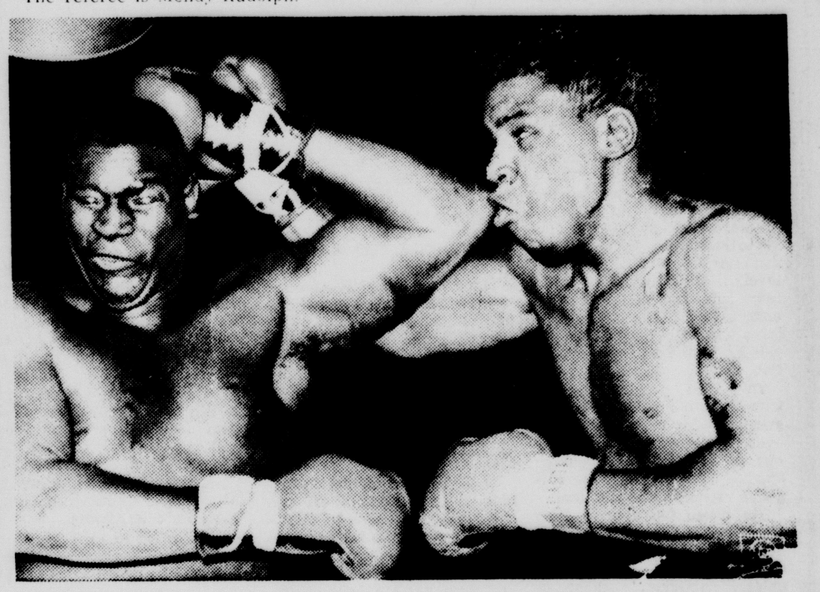
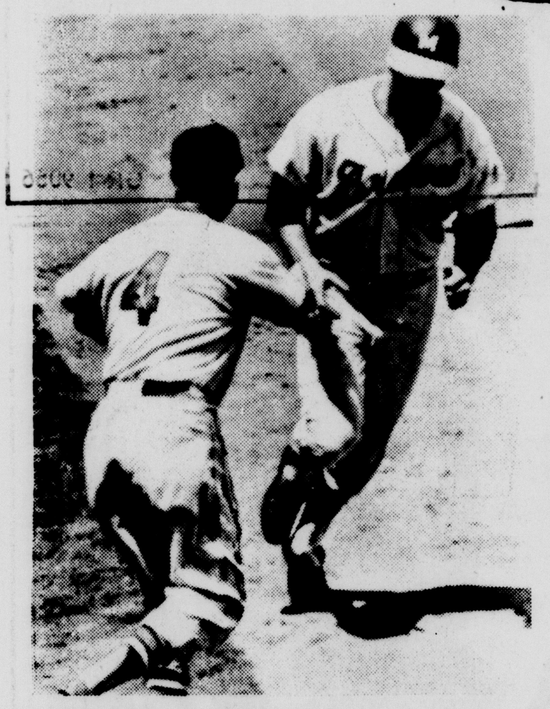
BAT GIRLS—Not the feminine interest on a television program, but newcomers to the baseball field. Southern Illinois University baseball coach Joe Lutz, former St. Louis Browns' first baseman, is surrounded by coeds who answered a call to lend active support to the school's team by serving as bat girls. They are expected to boost morale in the dugout and attendance at games.

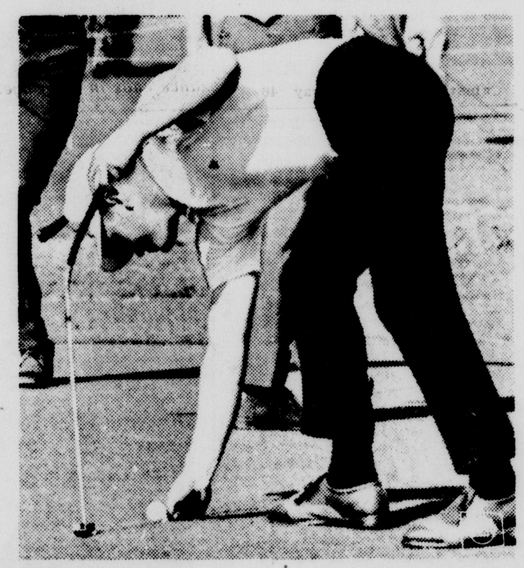
OUT OF OBJECTION—There are two ways a National Basketball Association coach can say, "Hey, ref, you gotta be kidding." Scream it or smile and shake your head, as Los Angeles' Fred Schaus, left, and Cincinnati's Jack McMahon demonstrate. The referee is Mendy Rudolph.



SCHOOL DAZE—Buster Mathis, left, Olympic gold medal winner, is a professional heavyweight now and is learning to take as well as give. Buster has "slimmed down" to 266 pounds and has looked impressive, except for a few brief moments.



REPEAT PERFORMANCE—Eddie Mathews has been repeating this scene regularly since he broke in with the Boston Braves back in 1952. He's the only member of the Boston team still on the Braves' roster.



DIFFERENT RULE—Jack Rule has a few of his own rules about putting. For putts under 10 feet he uses a bent club. For the longer ones he uses the conventional putter. Here he gets set for a shot with the bent club.

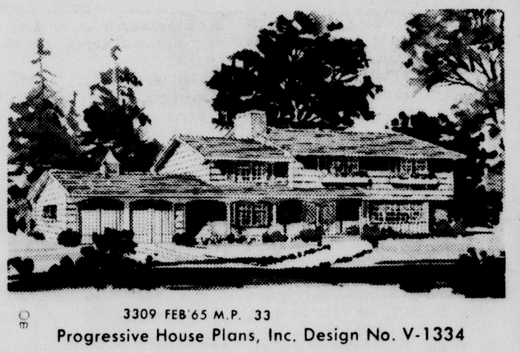
COOKIE AJAR—Cookie Rojas is one of Gene Mauch's most valuable possessions. He has played every position for Philadelphia except first base and pitcher. This year, he'll start at second—until trouble develops elsewhere.

(NEA Telephoto)

MOTHER IS A DRAG RACER—Mrs. Shirley Shahan and her husband pose proudly with the trophy she won for top place in the stock eliminator division of the 6th Annual Winternationals Drag Racing Championship at Pomona, Calif. Mrs. Shahan, a Tulare, Calif., housewife and mother of three, is the first woman to win a major drag racing competition.

PUTT 'N' CALL—In professional golf, they say, "You drive for show and putt for dough." The grimacing countenance of Arnold Palmer, left, is ample evidence of what a missed putt means on the tournament tour. As for Tony Lema, it was one of his better days.

BIG IF—The question in Detroit is whether aging Al Kaline has recovered from injuries that held him back last year. Manager Charlie Dressen is counting on it, if the Tigers are to make a run for the pennant this year.



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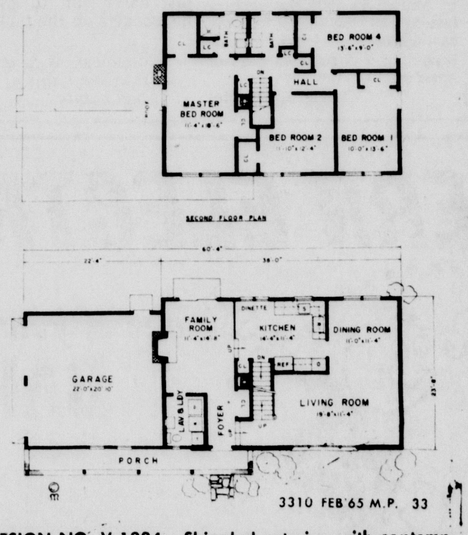

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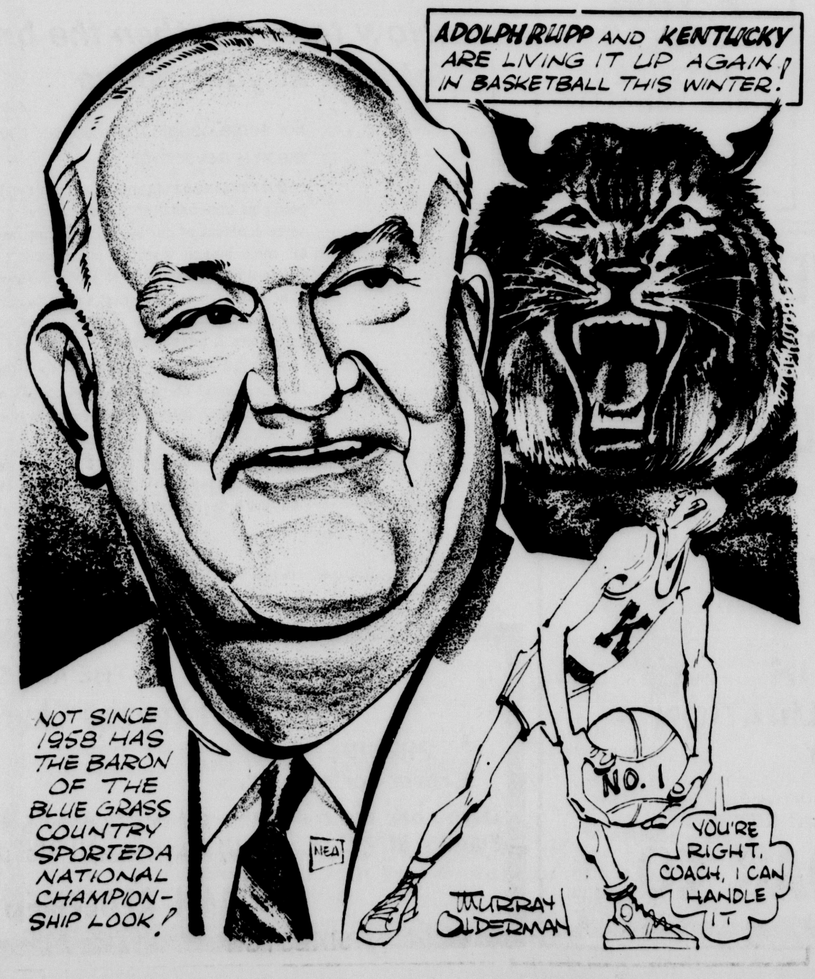

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Humphrey 's Trip Reaction Of Optimism and of Concern

EDITOR'S NOTE — What is Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey's sharpened concern and on what factors does he base his optimism about the future of Viet Nam? Fred S. Hoffman, AP military affairs writer who covered the vice president's nine-nation tour, covers these points in this report and tells how foreign leaders reacted to Humphrey.

By FRED S. HOFFMAN
AP Military Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey has returned from his Asian-Pacific mission with growing optimism about prospects for winning ultimately in Viet Nam.

But at the same time, he came away from his nine-nation tour with sharpened concern over the threat posed by Red China all across Southeast Asia, South Asia and throughout the Western Pacific region.

Humphrey might be expected to speak confidently in public. But he expresses guarded optimism in private as well.

Asked to cite specific reasons, he acknowledges it is more a feeling than anything that can be documented.

This feeling set in after conversations with U.S. military and civilian officials at various levels in Viet Nam, from admittedly kaleidoscopic on-the-spot observations, and from hard talks with Viet Nam's leaders, chiefly Prime Minister Nguyen Cao Ky.

The vice president, it is known, set out for Viet Nam not knowing what he would find — even though he had had the benefit of regular U.S. briefings and had been current on intelligence reports and evaluations.

His intensified apprehension about Red China grew out of a series of cards-on-the-table discussions with government chiefs, particularly those of Thailand, Laos, India, Australia, New Zealand and the Philippines.

In a way, the trip was an education for Humphrey, despite his long familiarity with world problems from years as a U.S. senator.

The mission started out appearing to be a sort of drum-beating exercise, merchandising the new emphasis on social and economic reform measures which emerged from the Honolulu conference between President Johnson and South Vietnamese leaders.

But it soon became evident that Humphrey's aims were broader than that.

In Viet Nam, he sought to gauge the sincerity of Ky and others in the Saigon government and the practicality of their plans for "rural reconstruction" and similar uplift measures.

Humphrey convinced himself that Ky means what he says and that the plans are generally sound. But the vice president is under no illusions that the execution of those plans will be easy, particularly because South Viet Nam is short on trained technicians and specialists.

The vice president did not hesitate to talk to Ky about curbing black marketeering and corruption, which undermine public confidence in the Saigon government. Ky assured him he intended to act—and he did so, shortly after Humphrey left.

Moving on to other countries in the critical Asian area, Humphrey sought to plant the idea that these nations must work in harness in facing the common menace of Red China.

He told leaders in Bangkok, Vientiane, Karachi, New Delhi and elsewhere that they must take the lead, that they must try to mobilize support and help from other non-Communist nations and not rely wholly on the United States.

Over and over, Humphrey stressed that the military facet should not overshadow the long-range aspect involving programs to eradicate the economic inequities, the poverty, the injustices on which the Communists feed in promoting subversion.

He spoke firmly to the Indians and the Pakistanis, telling them the United States expects them to come up with the deeds to back up the words of the Tashkent Agreement. That agreement is regarded as a start toward resolving the long-standing feuding between the two neighbors in the South Asian subcontinent.

In Australia and New Zealand, the vice president sought to encourage the trend in those countries toward identification with the interests of the Asian area. In the past those nations have been oriented more toward Britain and the British Commonwealth.

A couple of his stops were booked in part to soothe ruffled feelings or to avoid bruising the pride of some important leaders.

The Humphrey party was well aware that the Australians and New Zealanders were miffed at having been left out of the Honolulu conference, since both have committed some troops to Viet Nam.

At one point, the plan was to spend only about 16 hours in Australia. But the U.S. Embassy sent word this would not be enough to assuage the feelings of the Aussies. So the stay was about doubled.

Since Humphrey was ticketed to go to Thailand, it was felt he had to journey up to Laos, lest Laotian Prime Minister Souvanna Phouma feel slighted.

And, since he was roving around the Pacific Area, Humphrey was of the opinion he could not bypass the Philippines or South Korea without risking offense.

As it turned out, the Philippine visit yielded a sort of bonus in a strong statement by President Ferdinand E. Marcos making clear his unequivocal intention to send engineer troops to Viet Nam, and his desire to follow these up with combat elements.

Humphrey was sort of a revelation to the Asian leaders who watched him in action. Asian government officials normally stand aloof. Humphrey took every opportunity to meet the people, to chat with those who spoke English.

After seeing the reaction Humphrey received from Vietnamese villagers and city folk the vice president met, Prime Minister Ky was seen to plunge into American-style handshaking and patting of baby heads.

Highway robbery in England was never an elevating career --except to the gallows--but, strangely, one highwayman rose to the highest judical seat in the land. John Popham was a well-born collegian, out of Oxford, who went to London to study law. That rowdy town in 1550 suited Popham's temperament; though he married a nice girl, he couldn't settle down. For years he romped with a wild crowd of young blades who kept themselves in funds by holding up travelers near the city. Finally, his wife reformed him by pointing out that he was getting nowhere; he agreed, threw a farewell party for the gang, and at 30 buckled down to his books. Advancement came in due course; a successful lawyer, he was appointed Attorney-General and ultimately Lord Chief Justice of England. From that august bench Sir John Popham dealt severely with thieves and highwaymen. But he never denied his own past. A story goes that once, when one of the old crowd was brought before him, he asked the man what had happened to the others. The prisoners replied, "All the villains are hanged, my lord, except you and me." Popham believed jailbirds were only good enough to populate colonies with. In 1607, the year he died, he sent two shiploads of them to found the Popham Colony in Maine. In 1608 the venture failed and the name of the ex-highwayman judge missed becoming a permanent part of America.

Louis S. Wachtol

Grain Sales Have Bearish Market Effect

CHICAGO AP -- A farm union leader's report of massive corn and soybean sales by his organization at a time when prices already were declining has puzzled grain futures traders.

The National Farm Organization headquarters in Corning, Iowa, said that it had sold some 50 million bushels of the commodities in simultaneous transactions in 17 states Wednesday after the close of the futures market.

The announcement had a bearish impact on Thursday's trade, particularly soybeans.

It unnerved many speculators who liquidated long commitments and sold short ones in sufficient volume to knock prices of most contracts down more than 4 cents a bushel.

The report dominated the trade, even though many analysts expressed doubt that the sales actually were made in one day.

Traders said they had found no confirmation of the NFL report. Some thought the sales had been made over a long period of time and that they had been absorbed in normal day-to-day operations.

Oren Lee Staley, president of the NFO, said in the announcement that weeks of planning went into the sales which he said were timed for 2:30 p.m. yesterday, 75 minutes after the close of the Chicago Board of Trade Futures Market.

Two Charleston Women Face Theft Charges

CAIRO -- Two Charleston, Mo., women have been charged with theft, following their arrest in Cairo Wednesday night.

Chief of Police Carl J. Clutts accused the two of shoplifting items from the Farmer's Market in uptown Cairo about 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Erma Jean Bell, 25, and Amy Henderson, 34, were caught by the store's owner after they ran, Clutts charged. One of the women allegedly had a package of meat in her purse and the other dropped a bag of sugar just outside the door of the store when they ran.

The two women are being held in the Alexander County jail.

About an hour earlier, two youths were caught shoplifting in the market, Chief Clutts said. He said the two youths were not connected with the second incident and they would be handled in juvenile court.

March 22 Election Set

CHARLESTON -- Charleston will hold its annual primary election March 22, to elect one councilman-at-large for three years.

The term of Dr. J. M. Cullison expires this year.

Persons desiring to become candidates must file with the city clerk by March 12.

When dad needles ma about all the junk in her purse, she

just dares him to empty all his pockets on the table.

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Happiness is when you get into the habit of avoiding bad habits.

Specials Crowd Into TV

By CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP Television-Radio Writer

NEW YORK -- The three major television networks will crowd a wide variety of special programs into the next five days. They range from an international discussion of nuclear weapons policy to a possible preview of one of next season's new series.

The possible preview turns up on NBC tonight, 9-10, when "The Man From U.N.C.L.E." will show an episode called "The Girl From U.N.C.L.E.", who is former Miss America, Mary Ann Mobley. It may be a spin-off pilot for a new show.

Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey will be a guest on ABC's Sunday "Issues and Answer" 12:30-1 p.m., and report on his recent journey as an emissary of peace. Later Sunday, ABC will repeat its "Anatomy of Pop" special, 4-5 p.m., originally broadcast less than two weeks ago when it conflicted with a CBS special on the divorce problem. Cyril Ritchard will host an NBC Telephone Hour that evening, 5:30-6:30, devoted to the music of Alan Jay Lerner.

Judy Garland and Bill Gosby will be Perry Como's guest stars in his Monday night special on NBC 8-9. It will be followed on the network by the second of its audience quiz shows, "Testing, How Quick Is Your Eye?" 9-10.

"CBS Reports," with an assist from the Early Bird satellite, will have another in its "Town Meeting of the Air" series on Tuesday, 9-10 p.m. Participants in a discussion on "How to Stop the Spread of Nuclear Weapons" will include Sen. Robert Kennedy in New York, Lord Chalfont of the British Foreign Affairs Ministry in Geneva, French government advisor Pierre Gallois from Paris and former West German Defense Minister Franz Joseph Strauss from Munich.

Rogers Will Run Again For Mayor

CARUTHERSVILLE -- Mayor B. F. 'Hot' Rogers made two announcements Tuesday that will vitally affect the City of Caruthersville:

1: He announced he will seek a third term as mayor of Caruthersville.

2: He said the city has obtained an option on 65 acres of land, with the intention of using this land as the site of a lagoon for the long-sought sewerage project.

Rogers, who has been mayor for two four-year terms, said he will run for a third term on a "Program for Progress" platform.

Turning to the sewerage project, Mayor Rogers said the 65 acres have been obtained on option from Mr. and Mrs. John Robert Bader. The land is south of the city.

The sewerage project has been in operation with state and federal authorities for the past three years.

New Pastor in Poplar Bluff

POPLAR BLUFF -- The Rev. Roger Guy has accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Christian church. He will move here this week with his family.

For seven years, Guy has served as pastor of the First Christian Church in Sterling, Colo.

One woman describing another's figure: "She has a three-orchid bosom."

---C. G. Long

(NEA Telephoto)

ENGAGEMENT PORTRAIT—The Green Room of the White House was the setting for this formal engagement portrait of Luci Baines Johnson. Wedding of the President's younger daughter and Patrick Nugent of Waukegan, Ill., is set for August.

A Dream Come True Wedding Planned for Luci Johnson

By FRANCES LEWINE

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lady Bird Johnson wants her daughter Luci to have a wedding to remember always as "a dream come true."

The First Lady spoke sentimentally and nostalgically in an exclusive interview Wednesday night about the forthcoming marriage of Luci, 18, and Airman Patrick J. Nugent, 22, of Waukegan, Ill.

"I want it to be as personal and as sentimental and as really hers and the family's as our life permits," the President's wife said feelingly.

The wedding has been set for high noon, Aug. 6, at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, the nation's largest Roman Catholic church.

Because the church can hold thousands it has been assumed that the Johnson-Nugent nuptials will be a huge, very public event in social Washington.

The guest list, Mrs. Johnson said, is yet to be compiled, but it will include only "strictly friends."

Mrs. Johnson explained that the church had been picked by Luci "because it was a church she and Pat have gone to a lot and she has an attachment for it."

The mother of the bride-to-be was asked how she felt about her daughter marrying so young.

"I think any parent would prefer a child to finish her education," she replied, "but on the other hand, I think a year of planning it and a year of being sure about it is a very reasonable approach and I do think Luci is a very feminine, domestic sort of girl for whom this will be right."

Luci has been busily planning already for her wedding and there has been much speculation about her wedding party, which is sure to include her older sister, Lynda, 21, and best friend, Beth Jenkins, daughter to former presidential adviser Walter Jenkins. A student at Marquette University. Beth introduced Pat and Luci last June.

As to whom the wedding party will include, Mrs. Johnson smilingly told the story of Luci as "a little, bitty girl" whose birthday party was to be limited to "just best friends."

"Wide-eyed Luci declared 'but mother I have so many best friends!' "

Then, Mrs. Johnson added "there are quite a few girls who have shared her life" and most likely would be included. But she wouldn't mention any names.

Mrs. Johnson discussed her daughter's wedding as she flew back home from a long day's trip to Denver, Colo., where she spoke out for more beautiful highways for the nation.

She said she plans to clear her official calendar for June and July so she can devote all the time "to my personal life--to try to put together a lovely day to remember—the dream of every girl."

In those two months, Mrs. Johnson said, the guest list will be compiled and plans made, with the help of White House social secretary Bess Abell, for the White House wedding reception honoring the newlyweds.

The wedding dress will be Luci's choice and her mother said there'll be a lot of time spent on the selection.

Luci, according to her mother, is "happy as a lark" with the big event now scheduled. And Mrs. Johnson described her younger daughter as "a sprite—and a delight."

"If we have any troubles, she comes in and cheers you up."

Nugent, now on active duty with the Air National Guard, was described by the First Lady as having "a very good leavening influence on Luci. He gets her back to her studies and to places on time. A good solid person."

Mrs. Johnson hopes the two can manage to get away on a honeymoon that will be really private.

Luci is now a freshman in Georgetown University's school of nursing and Mrs. Johnson said both she and the President "want very much for Luci to continue her education and I really think she will, though maybe not at the pace she would have if she were living at home or in a dormitory."

HEARTS ARE TRUMPS

A little kindness to another child a long time ago paid off well for me; otherwise, I might not even be here in this country today, and never know what it is to be an American.

One day a new family moved to our town in Germany. They had a little girl my age. One morning she stood in front of our class in school. As I looked at her standing there so lost and forlorn, my heart went out to her. After classes I asked her if she didn't want to come to my home for a visit for I know I could help her with her lessons. She accepted gladly and we became friends.

None of the other girls wanted anything to do with her because her mother ran a little fish market, and sometimes my girl friend smelled of fish. I didn't mind it at all! Two years after we graduated from the 8th grade, my friend went to America to make her home with her sister, who had sent her the ship ticket. She was to be a child's nurse in the household where her sister was the cook.

In the summer of 1912, the family she was working for took a trip to Europe, taking my friend along. As they were visiting close to our home town, the lady gave my friend two weeks off to visit her own family. Her father wrote me that she was coming, and I asked the lady I was working for to give me a weekend off to see my friend.

When we met, the first question she put to me was, "Will you come to America with me?" Gladly!" I answered. In three weeks I had to be ready to sail from Rotterdam.

Now when I look back, I can't help thinking that there were 22 girls she could have chosen from, as we were that many in our graduating class, but she told me she asked only me because I was the one who had been kind to her in school.

Elizabeth Armbruster

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Poor Shows Costly

By CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP TV-Radio Writer

NEW YORK -- It costs a lot of money to turn out television shows, even poor ones. Jackie Gleason's Saturday night hour, for example, has a production budget of around $180,000 a week and the bill for the show when the cost of airtime is added, brings the tab well over $300,000.

The so-called "cheap shows" --those with $40,000 production budgets like "To Tell the Truth" and "I've Got a Secret"--build up expensively. With time costs they come to well over $100,000 per evening show.

This season's crop of hour programs have budgets ranging from around $130,000 per episode upwards. Variety shows with their needs for new sets and costumes weekly, not only run high, but do not have much re-use value. But the half-hour situation comedies, knocked out for sums ranging from $55,000 to $90,000, are like money in the bank. Not only can they be re-run during the summer season but can later be sold and resold profitably as syndicated series.

Approximately 40 per cent of the shows on the three major networks are dropped each year.

Next season, the usual need for 30-odd new series has been further reduced by CBS' decision to have two nights of feature films instead of only one, as it had this season. With NBC devoting two nights to movies, and ABC one, the public will be treated to five nights and 10 hours of films a week.

Lucille Ball, who each season flirts with the idea of quitting the weekly show grind, has once again come to terms with CBS for another season of "The Lucy Show."

Recommended weekend viewing:

Tonight -- "Sixteen in Webster Groves," CBS, 9-10, EST, documentary on teen-agers in an upper middle-class community.

Saturday -- "The Jackie Gleason Show," CBS, 6:30-7:30 p.m., 50th birthday party for the star with Milton Berle, Arthur Godfrey, Bobby Darin and Connie Francis.

Sunday -- "Issues and Answers," ABC, 12:30-1 p.m., with Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey reporting on his recent trip.

Jaycee Auction Set March 13

CHARLESTON -- The annual Charleston Jaycee radio auction will be held March 13, club officials announced today.

The auction, featuring new merchandise donated by business firms and individuals, will begin at 1 p.m.

Merchandise will be on display at the Jaycees' new headquarters in the basement of the Russell Hotel, where remote control facilities of KCHR radio will be set up to broadcast the auction.

The public is invited to bid in person at the hotel, or to telephone bids in during the broadcast.

Plan to Build Recreation Center

BLOOMFIELD -- D. L. Bess, president of the Crowley's Ridge Recreational Center, Inc., has called a special meeting of members for March 1, at 7 p.m., in the Bank of Bloomfield community room.

The meeting is for the purpose of adopting a resolution authorizing the borrowing of funds necessary for the construction of the recreational center and authorizing the execution of a deed of trust to secure the loan.

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11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
7:30 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Tuesday Prayer Meeting and Bible Study
7:30 P.M. Thursday Young Peoples Training.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF BLODGETT, MO.
Rev. Jimmie Edmondson
10 A.M. Sunday School
11 A.M. Morning Worship
7 P.M. Evening Worship
7 P.M. Wednesday Evening Prayer Service

ASSEMBLY OF GOD, FIRST
T. A. McDonough
310 South Kingshighway
GR 1-4649
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:45 A.M. Worship Serivce
6:00 P.M. Youth Service
7:15 P.M. Evangelistic Service
7:30 P.M. Bible Study and Prayer (Wed.)

BAPTIST, FELLOWSHIP
James Fitch, 228 Missouri
GR 1-2778
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
10:50 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Training Union
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:45 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

LITTLE VINE GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Matthews, Mo. Route 2
Tommie Caudle, Pastor
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship Services
6:00 P.M. Christian Education
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:00 P.M. Prayer services (Wed.)

MOREHOUSE GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Henry Jordan
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship Service
7:30 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Wednesday night

BAPTIST, WEST END
J. W. Gwin, 902 Maude
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. B. T. U.
7:30 P.M. Evening Worship

BAPTIST, MURRAY LANE
C. D. Butler
807 Murray Lane GR 1-0034
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Training Union
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:45 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
Bell City, Mo.
Norris T. Pullen
10:30 A.M. Sunday School
12:00 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Y. P. W. W.
8:00 P.M. Evening Worship

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MOREHOUSE
Rev. Glen D. Bohannon
NO 7-3034
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
10:45 A.M. Worship Service
6:30 P.M. Training Union
7:30 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Wed. Night Prayer and Bible Study.

CHURCH OF GOD, TANNER STREET
Oral Withrow
Tanner at Taylor GR 1-5469
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
7:30 P.M. Evening Service
7:30 P.M. Midweek Service (Wed.)

CHRISTIAN, CHURCH, FIRST
Myron E. Neal
Disciples of Christ
GR 1-3613, Highway 61 North
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Worship
5:30 P.M. Youth Fellowship

DIEHLSTADT GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Diehlstadt, Mo.
William Dock, Pastor,
Sikeston
Mrs. Margaret Hampton, Sunday School Supt.
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:00 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

NAZARENE, FIRST CHURCH OF THE
John Rhame
Scott and Trotter Gr 1-5751
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
10:45 A.M. Worship Service
7:00 P.M. Evangelistic Service
6:30 P.M. Young Peoples Service
7:30 P.M. Prayer Meeting (Wed.)

NAZARENE, EASTSIDE CHURCH OF
James Trimble
Ralph and Betty Streets
GR 1-0886.
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
6:30 P.M. Youth Services
7:00 P.M. Evangelistic Service
7:30 P.M. Prayer and Praise (Wed.)

LUTHERAN, CONCORDIA
Harold Belsheim, GR 1-5842
Park at Wakefield,
P. O. Box 146
8:00 A.M. Divine Worship
9:00 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Divine Worship

BAPTIST CHURCH BERTRAND, MO.
Rev. Lee Fansler
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Prayer Meeting (Wed.)

BLODGETT METHODIST CHURCH
Harold O. Norton, Minister
Chas. R. Bethune, Church School Supt.
9:00 A.M. Morning Worship
10:00 A.M. Church School
Men's Club Second Friday Each Month
W.S.C.S. Second and Fourth Wednesdays Each Month.

LATTER DAY SAINTS, REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST
Alexander Klein
105 Murray Lane GR 1-9627
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Preaching

CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH
Matthews, Mo.
Rev. Fred Stucker
9:15 Morning Worship
10:15 Sunday School

NORTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Highway 61 N., Jimmy Miller
GR 1-3804 - 3755 Sunday
9:45 A.M. Bible classes
10:35 A.M. Morning Worship
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Bible Classes (Wed.)

MINER BAPTIST CHURCH
Clinton E. Roberson
GR 1-0672
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Training Union
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Prayer Meeting (Wed.)

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH, UNITED
Billie Butler, 338 Matthews
GR 1-3264
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
7:00 P.M. Evening worship
7:30 P.M. Youth Service (Wed.)
7:30 P.M. Bible Study (Sat.)

BAPTIST, HOOE COMMUNITY
Highways 91 and CC
Bob Williamson
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Training Union
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:00 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

METHODIST, FIRST
Joseph H. Wagner & Willard A. Spencer, Jr.
N. New Madrid Street
GR 1-3283
8:30 A.M. Morning Worship
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:45 A.M. Morning Worship
5:00 P.M. Jr. High MYF
6:00 P.M. Sr. High MYF

BAPTIST, FIRST GENERAL
Robert Jones
400 Smith Avenue GR 1-2832
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship Service
7:00 P.M. Sunday Night
7:30 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

DIEHLSTADT FIRST SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH
Diehlstadt, Mo.
Rev. Kenneth Eudy
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Training Union
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:00 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

FIRST ONENESS PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Highway 60 West. Southwest
Rev. Charles Warren
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
7:30 P.M. Worship
7:30 P.M. Evangelistic Thursday
7:30 P.M. Evangelistic Saturday

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
Dr. Tom Messer, Interim Pastor
Scott Building, Center St.
9:30 Sunday School
10:45 Morning Service
6:30 Sunday evening Service
7:00 Wed. Prayer Meeting

PRESBYTERIAN, HUNTER MEMORIAL FIRST
Allen Blvd. at Wakefield
GR 1-3267
9:30 A.M. Church School
10:45 A.M. Morning Worship
5:00 P.M. Youth Groups

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
Wardell and Lilbourn, Mo.
J. C. Pullen, Jr.
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
12:00 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Y. P. W. W.
8:00 P.M. Evening Worship

FIRST GENERAL BAPTIST BERTRAND
Rev. Dolan Ray
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:00 P.M. Prayer and Bible Study (Wed.)

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ORAN
Rev. Calvin C. Wilkins
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship Service
6:00 P.M. Training Union
7:00 P.M. Worship Service
7:00 P.M. Prayer Meeting (Wed.)

CHRIST GOSPEL CHURCH
717 Kendall St.
Rev. L.H. Connor, GR 1-3963
10 A.M. Sunday School
11 A.M. Morning Worship
7:30 Sunday Night Worship
7:30 Wednesday night Service
7:30 Friday Night -- Young People Service.

FIRST GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH EAST PRAIRIE
Willis Friend, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. Evening Worship
7:30 p.m. Wed. prayer meet.

SECOND GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Minvil Clark, Illinois Street
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship Service
7:00 P.M. Evening Service
7:00 P.M. Prayer Meeting (Wed.)

CATHOLIC, ST. FRANCIS XAVIER
Walter J. McGrane
Stoddard at Front Street
GR 1-2447
0700, 0830, 1000 Sunday Mass
0700, 0815 Weekday Mass

EPISCOPAL CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S
W. Pipes Jones
Highway 61 North GR 1-2680
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Services

CLAYTON AVE. MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Jarrel E. Huffman
Clayton Ave. at Lora St.
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Baptist Training Course
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

BAPTIST, FIRST
James Hackney
201 S. Kingshighway
GR 1-4122
9:15 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
6:30 P.M. Training Union
7:30 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Prayer and Praise Service (Wed.)

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH, 328 North St.
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
7:30 p.m. evening worship
7:30 p.m. Wed. night youth service.
7:30 p.m. Sat. night service
Rev. Freman Parker, pastor

SIKESTON MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
R. G. Holland GR 1-3949
Cor. School and William Sts.
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:00 P.M. Wed. Mid-Week Service

BAPTIST, TEMPLE
Jaycee and Jackson
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
10:45 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. B.T.U.
6:00 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

METHODIST, WESLEY
William L. Blackard
Pine and Courtney GR 1-0384
9:30 A.M. Church School
10:45 A.M. Worship Service
6:00 P.M. MYF

SOUTH KINGSHIGHWAY CHURCH OF CHRIST
Don C. Glover
602 S. Kingshighway
GR 1-5186
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
10:40 A.M. Worship Service
6:00 P.M. Sunday night
7:30 P.M. Bible Study (Wed.)

Hannibal Recalls Molly Brown

HANNIBAL, Mo. AP -- Soon the restored birthplace of "The Unsinkable Molly Brown" will vie with the Mark Twain attractions for the interest of tourists visiting Hannibal.

This northeast Missouri city has a quarter of a million tourists a year and this number is expected to swell in the next few years with the Molly Brown home and the $60 million Clarence Cannon dam and reservoir in nearby Ralls County.

Margaret Tobin, whose rags to riches story was the basis for a musical comedy and a movie, was born in a small frame house at Denkler's Alley and Butler St. What remains of the home is nothing more than a shanty. The house and three lots are now the property of the Marion County Historical Society, a gift from a Hannibal businessman, Leo Riney, who bought the property at a tax sale.

The historical society plans to restore the Tobin home and will finance the project through voluntary contributions.

Restoration work on the two-room house is expected to begin soon.

Molly's father, John Tobin, and her mother, came from Ireland. Margaret, who preferred the name of Molly, was born here in July, 1867.

Molly worked in a tobacco factory and later got a job as a waitress at the Park Hotel.

Caroline Bancroft in her book "The Unsinkable Molly Brown," reports that while Molly was waiting tables at the hotel, Mark Twain made one of his trips back to Hannibal and she begged the manager to let her wait on the famous humorist. Twain told her about his adventures in the west.

Molly persuaded her brother, Danie, to go to Leadville, Colo., after the silver strike there and in 1884 followed him. She was then about 17. But she'd always been a tomboy and the strenuous life in a mining camp only boosted her eagerness for adventure.

She met and married John H. Brown, otherwise known as "Leadville Johnny." A new life began for Molly when Johnny became wealthy. Still in her teens, Molly and Johnny moved to Denver and built a fabulous stone mansion.

Molly's story included an exciting chapter in April, 1912, when she boarded the Titanic for its maiden voyage from Liverpool to New York. With the help of what she called "pure Brown luck" she survived the sinking of the majestic ship.

"I'm unsinkable," she said, and so she became the "Unsinkable Molly Brown."

She died in 1932 at the age of 65. She is buried at Hempstead, Long Island.

Now the Marion County Historical Society, through its restoration of the Molly Brown home, wants to make sure that the story of this flamboyant character--born in Hannibal--does not sink into oblivion.

WINNER of a $100 classified ad contest of the Daily Standard, Merlin Heeb, Chaffee (center), looks over a selection of typewriters. He chose one for his prize. At right is Charles McGill, clerk at the Superior Business Machines, Inc., Center Street, and at left is Charles L. Blanton III, business manager of the Daily Standard.

$149,000 Settlement For Eyesight Loss

CARUTHERSVILLE -- A settlement of $149,000 was made Wednesday in the suit brought by Billy Dodd of the McCarty community near Caruthersville against the Tri-County Gas & Fertilizer Co. of Hayti, distributors of anhydrous ammonia, and their suppliers, Mid-South Chemical Co. of Memphis, Tenn., a sub-division of Continental Oil Co.

The suit was set for trial in Butler county circuit court at Poplar Bluff following a change of venue from Pemiscot County.

The suit was based on the claim that on April 3, 1964, Dodd, a farmer, purchased anhydrous ammonia from the Hayti firm, using nurse tank and applicator furnished, and that he was not instructed relative to the danger and protective measures in case any was spilled or ejected on his person.

In an accident at his farm, some of the chemical was sprayed in his eyes and on his person, resulting in the loss of eyesight.

In the suit it was alleged that neither defendant had warned Dodd of the dangers involved in the handling and use of the chemical.

Incident to the case, it was stated that water applied quickly was a method of alleviating any anhydrous ammonia sprayed on a person and that a ditch with water in it was at hand, but Dodd did not know of its protective effect.

The case was settled after the jury had been qualified and before trial.

Dodd, his wife and their two daughters and son live on the Cottonwood road, south of Stubtown, about six miles southwest of Caruthersville.

According to attorneys, it was the largest damage suit settlement in the state.

Youth Held In Probe of Burglary

CARUTHERSVILLE -- A 17-year-old Negro youth, Richard Nichols, was being held in county jail this week for investigation in connection with a burglary at the B. F. Goodrich store Saturday.

The theft was believed to have occurred around 1 a.m. Saturday and Nichols was picked up by police Saturday night. Taken from the store were seven portable radios and eight cigaret lighters. All were recovered from Nichol's home except five of the lighters.

Entry was gained through the east door of the building.

A burglary at the Burton Grocery in Steele was reported to the sheriff's office last Thursday morning, the theft having occurred sometime Wednesday night. The back door was broken open.

A small safe containing $30 to $50 in Kennedy half-dollars was taken along with $25 from the cash register, 10 or 12 cartons of cigarets and a large quantity of meat and other groceries.

The same night the Pascola school was broken into again, this time through a door, and the lunchroom was robbed of 25 pounds of hamburger meat, crackers, tea, coffee, bread and frozen food.

Other burglaries during the week included:

A break in at the Kwik Snak Friday night when the coin machines were broken open but nothing was taken.

A glass door broke out at the Senator Burrus auto parts store on East 13th Thursday night. Nothing was taken.

A cigaret machine, broken open at the Standard Station, 11th and Ward, Wednesday night.

A 12-volt Delco battery taken from the Joe Tidwell farm near Deering Wednesday night.

A break-in at the Boone Equipment Company south of Portageville Tuesday night. Change was taken from soda boxes and a pair of coveralls stolen.

Several dollars in nickels and dimes taken from the Booker Liquor Store at Steele Tuesday night.

Honorary Title

The British title of Prince of Wales is purely honorary. Sons of British monarchs do not inherit the title and it is newly created for each new prince.

Spending Produces Strains

By SAM DAWSON
AP Business News Analyst

NEW YORK -- The spending boom is producing strains in the economy-- and a host of ideas as to what to do about it.

The boom is in all three sectors of spending -- consumer, business and government. And the ideas mostly reflect the special viewpoints and interests of those who advance them.

The proposed cures range from increasing taxes on individuals and corporations to finding more effective controls over wage and price increases. Other proposals include: curbs on consumer credit, tighter money and still higher interest rates to cut back business borrowing, suspension of the 7 per cent investment credit granted corporations.

And President Johnson has a couple: his powers of persuasion to hold labor leaders and businessmen in line; and a monetary and fiscal plan "to remain flexible in our tax and other policies so that we can change quickly if the need should arise."

The House of Representatives has taken one step by approving a plan to get the U. S. Treasury $4.8 billion more revenue in fiscal year starting July 1. This includes restoring $1.2 billion of excise taxes on autos and phone bills, and withholding more from pay checks now and speeding up corporate income tax payments.

Some economists are urging that actual increases in income tax rates, in addition to earlier collections, be voted now to curb both the consumer and the business spending boom. They argue that inflation is already here, and only a drain on money available for spending can halt or control it.

Others suggest that the government should cut back on its spending boom. Since more money is needed for the war in Viet Nam, they contend, it should be found by trimming the spending on civilian projects rather than increasing it, as the adminisration asks.

Other economists think a better restraining hand on the economic boom would be found in monetary policy - rather than in the fiscal policy of government taxing and spending. They advocate holding down the supply of money and credit, which has been increasing at a rapid rate for almost a year. They contend that the rise in interest rates since early December has done little to curb spending by either consumers or businessmen, since the supply of lendable funds remains large.

What all hands are worrying about is that the spending boom is pushing the economy to the limits of its current productive capacity — both in the supply of skilled labor and in the availability of plant and materials.

President Johnson says the rapid growth of output in recent years, especially in 1965, has cut unemployment but also "has placed special —and temporary — strains on some of our raw material resources." He sees a current problem in matching men and jobs. But he says this can be solved if we find "new ways in which business, labor and government can cooperate to avoid inflationary wage and price movements."

Rifling

Rifling, the cutting of spiral grooves in the barrel of a firearm to impart a spin to the projectile, was invented as early as the latter half of the 15th century, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

974 Sign In Dunklin For Crops

KENNETT -- H. N. Blaylock, chairman of the Dunklin County Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Committee, has announced that, as of Feb. 23, a total of 974 farms in the county have been signed up for the 1966 upland cotton program.

This is only about 33 per cent of the cotton farms in the county, Blaylock said, and all of these will be signed under one of five programs authorized under the recently enacted Food and Agriculture Act of 1965.

To date, a total of 27,348 acres are included in the farms which have signed with the Dunklin County ASC office. Of this acreage there has been a cut-back of 5,923 acres, or about 20 per cent, which will be diverted to remain idle during the 1966 crop season for conservation purpose.

The chairman estimates that about 50 per cent of the farms included in the signup to date are under the 12.5 per cent diversion program and the other 50 per cent are under the 35 per cent diversion program.

Kitchen Seeks School Post

GIDEON -- Ercell Kitchen, jr., has made his announcement as a candidate for election as a member of the school board at the election, April 5.

He is a life-long resident of the Gideon school district and graduate of the Gideon school.

Kitchen is a member of the First Methodist church and a member of the Methodist men's club, being a past president and currently its treasurer. He is a charter member of the Gideon school parent - teacher association.

He has been associated with the Gideon Youth summer baseball program. He is secretary-treasurer of the Gideon ballpark committee.

He has been associated with the boy scout movement. He is city treasurer and a member of the city planning commission.

Kitchen is assistant cashier of the Commercial Bank of Gideon.

Official Defends Medicare Alert

KENNETT -- The war-on-poverty's medicare alert program in the Bootheel was defended by Don Thomason, former Dunklin Countian and now acting director of the regional Office of Economic Opportunity in Kansas City.

Thompson, in a letter to The Daily Dunklin Democrat in answer to a Feb. 7 editorial entitled "Bureaucratic Brainchild," said the program should prove to be of great value to many Southeast Missourians.

The OEO official said medicare alert is "not only to explain to the eligible, but to provide an informed basis on which the indigent and the illiterate can reasonably decide for themselves" the proper steps to be taken under the medicare program.

He explained, "It is basically the improverished and illiterate elderly whom medicare alert seeks to serve. You see, most of the men and women whom medicare alert personnel will contact lack the education or the ability to complete even the most rudimentary form. They need someone physically to sit down with them and, in essence, execute the form for them."

The former Dunklin countian said the median education level of persons medicare alert seeks to help is no higher than the sixth grade. He noted that the average education level in the six-county area served by the Delta Area Economic Corp. is the ninth grade.

"I would admit," Thomason said, "that many of these people have received initial notification of their medicare opportunities from the Social Security Administration, but did not return the forms sent them. Why? Many were embarrassed to admit their inability to complete the forms or they were unable to read and understand the instructions."

Thomason said the approximately 100 persons selected for Medicare Alert will be employed only until March 31, although the director and secretary will probably work a week or two later and the 10 team captain a few days before the program gets underway. He said most of the 88 aides will be 55 years of age or older and most will have earned less than $3,000 last year. "Thus," Thomason noted, "the program will do two things: One, it will employ older citizens in the low-income groups; and, two, it will carry out an advertising campaign in which knowledgeable men and women of near-comparable ages and near-comparable circumstances will be able to talk with elderly men and women who are uninformed of their rights and opportunities under the Social Security laws."

Thomason said OEO was specifically requested by the Social Security Administration to inaugurate Medicare Alert. He said war-on-poverty officials weren't looking for additional work. "Quite frankly, we need nothing -- and I mean nothing -- to make us appear busy or be busy." He noted that his staff has been working 16 to 18 hours a day, six and seven days a week, processing applications from community OEO organizations.

"I think we are performing a great service for the aged in your six-county area, throughout Missouri and throughout our 11-state region -- if you but look at the tremendous problem which exists and what we have done thus far, even at this initial stage," Thomason declared.

Tasty Tidbit

For delectable pinwheel sandwiches, use this novel way with dried beef: shred finely 1 jar (5 ounces) dried beef. Add 1 package (8 ounces) cream cheese softened with ½ cup of half and half cream and 1 tablespoon mayonnaise. Fold in ½ cup finely chopped chutney. Spread filling on slices of white bread which have been rolled thin with a rolling pin. Roll as for jelly roll, chill thoroughly and then slice about ½-inch thick for "pinwheels."

Here and There

Award for Catholic Organization

NEW HAVEN, Conn. AP -- John W. McDevitt, supreme knight of the Knights of Columbus, Roman Catholic fraternal order, will receive a B'nai B'rith brotherhood award.

Jack G. Miller, president of Horeb Lodge of the Jewish organization, said the award was "in keeping with the spirit of the ecumenical council."

The presentation is to be made March 23.

MIDDLEBORO, Mass. AP -- A fair maid who lost her eyeglasses down a sewer found there are still gallant knights. They turned up in the town water and highway departments.

Dawn Emmons, 8, was on her way home from school when the glasses dropped from her pocket and bounced through the grating into muddy water.

A highway department work crew failed after two hours to retrieve the glasses.

Water department men who pumped out the storm drain finally handed the wet glasses to Dawn.

NEW YORK AP -- World issues will be studied and discussed at Columbia University in a new International Conference Center. The W. K. Kellogg Foundation will supply $1,511,000 toward financing a planned 15-story building to house the center.

WEST STEWARTSTOWN, N.H. AP -- Robert Burns might have thought he had a sailfish on the end of his fishing line.

But he knew better. He was ice fishing in Lake Francis, N.H.

He cut the hole larger and larger.

Finally, he hauled the beast onto the ice -- a large, dead deer.

Drilling on Craft Farm

CHARLESTON -- Drilling is underway on the H. B. Craft Jr. farm, approximately three miles south of Mississippi county's first deep well oil test site on Big Oak Farms.

THE MITCHELL Brothers drilling rig had been stored for several weeks at "Sawdust Corner," and was moved to the new location over the weekend. Actual drilling started Tuesday night, and by Wednesday forenoon the hole was down to a depth of approximately 500 feet. Mitchell said they were making about one foot every 90 seconds through sand and gravel.

This Craft well is a farm-out to Baron Oil Co., Chicago, from the original lease holders, Mammoth Producing Co.

Meanwhile a cable tool rig operated by Bill Terry at a Belmont field location is down to approximately 300 feet.

A similar cable tool rig which started a well on DeLaney property east of Charleston has been removed, and a modern rotary rig is expected to be installed momentarily on that location.

WORK NECESSARY to complete the first test well, Big Oak No. 1, may be authorized soon in spite of unfavorable weather and an almost impassable access road.

Time Saver

How much time is saved by roasting fresh pork loins to the newly recommended 170° F. as compared to the older accepted time of 185° F.?

When roasted at 325° F., the pork loins require five to six minutes a pound less for cooking time. Since the average pork loin roast weighs five to six pounds, this means a saving of 30 to 35 minutes.

Deviled Mushrooms

Did you know that a 2¼-ounce can of deviled ham will fill six large mushroom caps? These can be broiled (8 to 10 minutes, 3 inches from heat) and used as a garnish for lamb chops, steak, scrambled eggs or pork sausage links when you want to make the platter especially attractive.

Bloomfield Will Build City Hall

BLOOMFIELD -- Plans were announced this week by Bloomfield mayor, Alvin Corbin, of the proposed construction of a new city hall.

Mayor Corbin stated that as soon as weather permits work will start on a $27,500 building designed to incorporate the needed city offices into one unit.

The building will contain a total of 5,000 square feet with a completion date for the project set for September of this year. The building is an incorporation of the various city functions as well as the addition of a Library, Social Security room and a public meeting room totaling approximately 464 square feet.

The main entrance of the building will face south with a separate entrance to the Library. The main lobby will house the State License Bureau as well as a City Collector's office. A special room has been reserved for the City Council Chambers, with a City Clerk's office adjoining.

A 1,900 square foot portion of the building will house the Water and Street Departments. Mayor Corbin stated that the housing of the two departments under one unit will be a much needed economic move, as the Maintenance Departments now take two separate buildings and lack the needed protection for city equipment.

The lower portion of the building has been designed to house the Fire Equipment and two garages have been reserved for expansion of the fire department, due to traffic congestion at the old location being a major problem at the present time.

The construction of the building will be by the Smith Construction Company, Bloomfield, low bidder on the project.

BARBS

BY WALTER C. PARKES

After Florida's bad winter, citrus fruit will make presents for that man who has everything next Christmas.

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No woman will admit that her operation was nothing to speak of.

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What you don't know won't

hurt you—unless it's the rules of safe driving.

Nine Will Go To Boys State

CHARLESTON -- Nine high school juniors from Mississippi county will attend Boys' State this year, the American Legion post announced today.

The annual citizenship training program will be held this year at Central Missouri State College, Warrensburg, June 18-25.

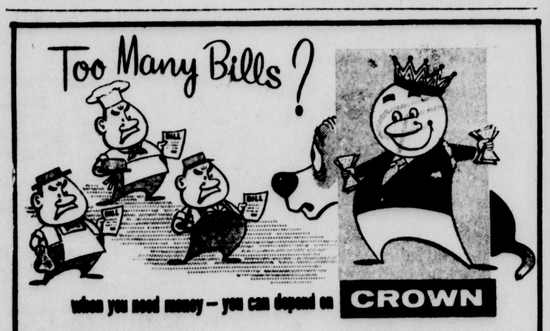
Representing the R-1 District will be Charles Lutz, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. "Peachy" Lutz Jr.; John Hequembourg, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hequembourg Jr.; Jon Carson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carson and Bradley J. Fenton, son of Dr. Alouise Fenton and Dr. T. P. Fenton.

Attending from the R-2 District will be Richard T. Reed Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reed; Kenton C. Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Hunter; James Stephen Hodges, son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Hodges Jr.; Terry Gene Hopgood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hopgood; and Billy Ronald Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Cooper.

QUICK QUIZ

Q—Which was the first southern state to secede from the Union in the War between the States?

A—South Carolina, Dec. 20, 1860.



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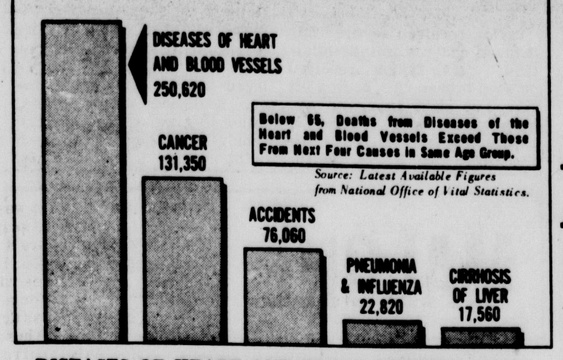
Leading Causes of Death in U.S. Below Age 65



DISEASES OF HEART AND BLOOD VESSELS are described by Dr. Paul Dudley White, a founder of the American Heart Association, as "the epidemic of the twentieth century." Chart shows they are not an exclusive liability of the aged but instead the leading cause of death among persons below the age of 65. To speed the fight against these diseases, give generously when a Heart Sunday volunteer calls at your home for your Heart Fund gift.

50 Cotton Producers To Be Cited

CARUTHERSVILLE -- Fifty of Pemiscot County's top cotton producers will be honored at a banquet March 3, at 6:30 p.m. in the community room of the First State Bank of Caruthersville.

This Cotton Honor roll banquet is sponsored annually by Caruthersville Production Credit Assn., the National Bank of Caruthersville, the First State Bank of Caruthersville, Pemiscot County cotton ginners and farm supply dealers, Caruthersville Chamber of Commerce and the Caruthersville merchants.

An engraved trophy will be presented to the top producer with more than 50 acres of cotton entered; to the top producer with less than 50 acres of cotton and to the top junior producer.

Yields are determined by using actual gin records and verifying acreages with the ASC. Each of the top 50 producers will be presented an engraved certificate indicating his production. He will also receive a gift of merchandise donated by Caruthersville merchants. Each winner is urged to bring a guest.

The top 50 cotton producers are:

Adults: John Alexander of Pascola, H. C. Boyd of Caruthersville, Burley Bradford of Bragg City, J. W. Bradford of Hayti, Russell Bradford of Bragg City, Jerry Brown of Cooter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown of Caruthersville, Gary Burton of Braggadocio, L. J. Coble of Caruthersville, James Cook of Hayti;

Carl and D. D. Dodd of Caruthersville, Alvin Dunavant of Caruthersville, L. D. Fitch of Bragg City, J. M. Fitzmaurice of Caruthersville, J. C. Gallaher of Braggadocio, Mon T. Grays of Bragg City, Jesse Horton of Steele, Claude Howard of Caruthersville, Edwin J. Huffman of Hayti, Orben Kelley of Caruthersville, Chip F. Lewis of Hayti, Miles and Martha Brent of Braggadocio;

Miles and Mary Curtner of Braggadocio, Donald Long of Holland, Don Lossing of Caruthersville, Bob McCulloch of Caruthersville, Starr McDaniel of Hayti, Don Medlin of Caruthersville, C. G. Moss of Steele, C. B. Nance of Steele, Ernest Noel of Hayti;

Leonard Pritchard and Louetta Speight of Hayti and Caruthersville, Ralph Sherwood of Steele, James T. Streets of Caruthersville, Carl and William Suddarth of Hayti, George, Betty and Pearl Swan of Portageville, Jacob Van Dyke of Hayti, J. M. Walker of Steele, and R. L. Ward of Caruthersville.

Junior honor roll, Harold Bradford of Bragg City, Glen Brooks of Hayti, William Conley of Kennett, Jackie Fraze of Bragg City, John Graue of Bragg City, Jerry Pritchard of Hayti, Billy Vaughn of Bragg City, Wayne Vaughn of Braggadocio, Larry Whitfield of Caruthersville and Randy Wingfield of Steele.

The people of modern Brazil are considered the descendants of the ancient Lusitanians.

Legal Notices

Required by law to inform citizens of matters affecting them or their property.

School Director Announcement

We are authorized to announce as a candidate subject to the will of the voters in the R-6 School District, of the School Election, on Tuesday, April 15th, 1966:

For Director:

Lee Austin Bowman, 4 Bel Air.

Dr. A. D. Martin, 902 Moore Ave.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Edward D. Vanover and Nedria E. Vanover, his wife, by a certain Deed of Trust dated the 18 day of July, 1962, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott, and the State of Missouri, in Book 132, Pages 107-110, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

Lot Ten (10) in Block Three (3) of the Prairie Addition to Sikeston, in Scott County, Missouri, as per plan thereof recorded in Plat Book 7, Page 2 and dedication thereof recorded in Book 130, Page 172.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Promissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, on the 22 day of April, 1965, Gerald E. Seitz and Gloria A. Seitz, his wife, assumed and agreed to pay the debt secured by said Deed of Trust, and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Main Front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on March 1, 1966, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Roberts T. Williams,
Trustee
111-117-123-129

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED

STATE OF MISSOURI,)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SCOTT)

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI

In the estate of Henry F. Layton, Sr., Deceased, Estate No. 3138

To all persons interested in the estate of Henry F. Layton, Sr., decedent:

On the 2nd day of February, 1966 Henry F. Layton, Jr., was appointed the administrator of the estate of Henry F. Layton, Sr., decedent, by the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri. The business address of the administrator is 811 Vernon, Sikeston, Missouri, whose telephone number is GR 1-3289 and his attorney is Harry C. Blanton of Blanton, Blanton, and Rice, whose business address is 201 S. New Madrid, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is GR 1-1000.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within nine months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

Date of first publication February 4th, 1966.

Almaretta Huber,
Clerk,
Probate Court of
Scott County, Missouri
(111-117-123-129)

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce as a candidate subject to the will of the voters of Scott County in the Democratic Primary Election on Tuesday, August 2nd, 1966;

COLLECTOR
C. E. FELKER,
Sikeston, Mo.

HAROLD E. HAHN,
Benton, Mo.

RECORDER
JOHN J. BOLLINGER,
Benton, Mo.

Adults Can Finish High School Course

CHARLESTON -- Adults in Mississippi County who failed to finish high school will have a chance, starting Monday, to get a Missouri High School Equivalence Certificate.

The R-1 District, assisted by a committee of county citizens, will conduct the county-wide program for people 20 years of age and older who have completed the eighth grade but who failed to complete high school.

The organization meeting for this class will be held at Charleston high school at 7 p.m. Monday. Superintendent W. R. Pierce Jr. said it is important that all persons who wish to enroll in the program be at the meeting Monday night. Decisions will be made them as to when and where classes will meet.

The high school equivalence certificate is issued by the Missouri department of education to persons who make satisfactory scores on the general educational development tests.

The certificate is not a high school diploma, but is accepted by many employers and all of the military services as being equivalent to a diploma.

Many colleges accept the certificate as evidence that the person meets the minimum educational requirements for admission to college.

Dr. Pierce said many persons with the certificates have been able to get jobs, to win promotions, and to enter schools which would not have been open to them without the certificate.

As planned, the program will consist of classes meeting four hours per week for 18 weeks. Instruction will deal with subjects which will help the enrolees make satisfactory scores on the G. E. D. test.

Funds for the program are provided by the federal Office of Economic Opportunity, with 10 per cent coming from the local school district.

Campbell Files For School Board

GIDEON -- Jack Campbell announces his candidacy for re-election to the board of education of the Gideon school district. The election will be held April 5.

Mr. Campbell is a long-time resident of Gideon and was educated and graduated in the Gideon schools.

He is a member of the Crossroads Assembly of God church.

Mr. Campbell is married and has one son who is in the kindergarten class in the Gideon public schools.

Their Calls

The pheasant crows, but the ruffed grouse, which often is wrongly called a pheasant, drums by beating its wings against the ground.

HERE THEY COME!

Grandma and Granddad arrive next Monday for a three-week visit in your favorite humor panel, THE FAMILY CIRCUS.

Don't miss the fun and excitement with this hilarious family. Look for

THE FAMILY CIRCLE
appearing every day in
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TELL IT TO THE WORLD WITH WANT ADS!

1-SLEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT -- Sleeping room, 538 Vernon St. Phone GR 1-5476 or GR 1-2500. 12-31-tf

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ROOM for rent. Phone GR 1-0726. 2-1-tf

FOR RENT--Light housekeeping room. All utilities furnished. 210 Ruth Street. GR 1-4182. 2-19-tf

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FOR RENT--Sleeping room. GR 1-1837. 2-19-tf

2-FURNISHED APARTMENTS

FOR RENT--3 room furnished apartment. Utilities paid. GR 1-2772. 2-19-tf

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FOR RENT--Furnished apartment. Adults. Call GR 1-0416. 2-19-tf

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FURNISHED APTS -- Modern close in utilities furnished Tel. GR 1-5702 or GR 1-9276.

FOR RENT -- Furnished apartment. Adults only. Phone GR 1-5707. 5-18-tf

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FOR RENT -- Furnished apartment. 538 Vernon, $65. Adults only. Utilities paid. Phone GR 1-5476 or GR 1-2500. 2-14-tf

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FOR RENT -- Two room furnished apartment. Phone GR 1-5874; 411 Prosperity. 2-22-tf

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FOR RENT--Nice apartment. Furnished. Adults. 535 N. Ranney. GR 1-0568. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT -- 3 Room furnished apartment. 304 S. West St. GR 1-4150. 2-24-3t

2A-UNFURNISHED APARTMENTS

FOR RENT -- 3 room unfurnished duplex. Adults preferred. Call GR 1-9436 after 6 p.m. 2-3-tf

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NOW RENTING
Brand new 2 bedroom units.
KAY APARTMENTS
Sikeston's newest
GR 1-3626 GR 1-4800

FOR RENT -- 5 Room duplex apartment. Modern. See at 310 W. Gladys. Call GR 1-3652. 2-24-tf

3-HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT--Newly decorated 2 bedroom house. $60. monthly. Call GR 1-3195. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT--2 bedroom house $55. monthly. Available March 1. GR 1-2870 or GR 1-1269. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT--5 room house, bath utility area. 307 Ruth. GR 1-3047. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT--Clean 2 bedroom house, automatic gas furnace, 804 Wayne St. Phone GR 1-5652. 2-25-2t

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FOR RENT--2 bedroom house, 418 Harris St. $55. per month. GR 1-0143. 2-23-tf

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HOUSE for rent. Call GR 1-0588 after 5 p.m. 2-21-tf

FOR RENT -- Small house. Furnished. Quite nice. Adults only. GR 1-4059 or GR 1-5839. 2-24-tf

4-MISC. FOR RENT

FOR LEASE -- By major Oil company. Modern 2 bay service station. Small initial investment. Paid training. Call GR 1-4541, Sikeston. 2-1-tf

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FOR RENT--Warehouse space. From 50 ft. to 5,000 ft. (34 x 36 on highway 60 East.) Call Art Ziegenhorn. GR 1-1424. 11-10-26t

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NEED CASH?
Call
Bob or Larry
GR 1-1808
CROWN FINANCE
1-26-tf

FOR RENT--New modern 2 bedroom mobile home, completely furnished with central air conditioning. $85.00 per month. Located 2 miles south of Bertrand. Apply to Ponder Chevrolet Buick Company, Charleston, Mo. 2-23-3t

5-MISC. FOR SALE

FOR SALE -- Nice Frigidaire refrigerator and television Call GR 1-2772. 1-19-tf

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"Repossessed furniture and appliances. Some new, used and abused." GR 1-2078. 1-27-tf

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FOR SALE -- Pecan and shade trees. Shrubs of all kinds. Goode's Nursery, GR 1-3119. 1-4-tf

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Used Furniture
Bought & sold.
BRIGHT'S FURNITURE
Highway 60 West - GR 1-3995. 1-20-tf

FOR SALE -- Thin aluminum plates. 24" x 36" 15 cents each. The Daily Sikeston Standard. 10-17-tf

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Welders
225 Amp Lincoln complete $125.00
Welding Equipment, parts & Gases.
WEBB ELECTRIC SUPPLY
Highway 61 South
Sikeston
12-13-tf

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1-26-tf

MRS. Walk Along Cassidy isn't a jerk. She lets Wipe Lustre lighten her work. Machine rental $1 per day with purchase. Smith-Alsop Paint & Wallpaper Company. 2-19-6t

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FOR SALE -- Princeton Player piano. GR 1-3290. 2-22-6t

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Orville Yates
GR 1 3341
7-12-tf

IF carpets look dull and drear, remove the spots as they appear with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer $1. Moore's Hardware. 2-22-2t

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CLEAN rugs, like new, so easy to do with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer $1. Wilcoxson & Son's Furniture Company. 2-24-2t

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FOR SALE -- Pecans -- New crop (native & paper shells). Custom cracking done year round. Shy's Pecan Orchard-1/4 mile N.E. of New Madrid, Mo. on Highway U. 10-14-tf

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FOR SALE -- Good wringer washer with pump and timer. $35.00. Call GR 1-2568. 2-25-3t

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FOR SALE--Gas range, 2 window air conditioners, excellent condition. Call after 12, noon. GR 1-3894. 2-25-2t

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BECK & McCORD
REAL ESTATE
Sikeston, GR 1-9109

FARM FOR SALE--49 Acres on highway 25. Two bedroom house and barn in good condition. Call 314-SW 4-2730, or contact Charles Mann, Rt. 2., Chaffee. 2-25-3t

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SPECIAL BUY

Good row crop farm. Heavy and mixed soil. Has irrigation system with 3 wells. Eligible for A. S. C. pay of $3,200. Two sets of good buildings. To sell this winter, owner will sell this 286 acre farm at a price of $330.00 per acre. Long term loan available.

ANNA LEWIS REALTOR
GR 1-1678

FOR SALE

800 Acres in Mississippi. $125 per acre.
1650 Acres Mississippi Delta soil, 2 sets buildings. Some allotments. All cleared. $250 per acre.
2600 Acres Delta soil, part cleared. $125 per acre.
TERMS OR TRADE
W. J. McMIKLE
1309 Mississippi St.
Tululah, Louisiana

7-SITUATIONS WANTED

Baby sitting - ironing. GR 1-9493. 2-21-11t

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CROWN FINANCE
1-26-tf

8-WANTED TO RENT

Telephone company supervisor wants to rent 3 bedroom house in good neighborhood. Call GR 1-3930, room 244. 2-24-2t

10-MISC. WANTED

WANTED -- Good used furniture and appliances. Hezzie Furniture Mart. Phone GR 1-5617. 11-30-tf

11a-HELP WANTED Male & Female

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11-HELP WANTED FEMALE

WANTED IMMEDIATELY HIGH SCHOOL MATHEMATICS TEACHER. Write or call collect MUrray 3-3776. Bill Hodges, Assistant Superintendent, Charleston R-1 School District, Charleston, Missouri 63834. 2-24-6t

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WANTED--Part time secretary: Experienced typist, familiar with bookkeeping and payroll. Please list references. State name, age, address, phone number, expectant salary, working hours preferred. Write EB Box 100, c/o Daily Sikeston Standard. 2-25-6t

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WANTED--Elderly lady to live in and care for 2 children. Call GR 1-9546 after 5 p.m. 2-18-tf

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HELP WANTED -- Beautician. GR 1-0111. 2-24-3t

NEED CASH?
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CROWN FINANCE
1-26-tf

12-HELP WANTED MALE

NEED Farm machinery operator. Good pay, house with bath. See or call after 5:00 p.m. Carol O. Tucker, AV 3-5700, Gray Ridge, Mo. 2-24-3t

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WANTED
Man to sell the automatic Electrolux vacuum cleaner. If interested, write Electrolux Corporation, 716 S. Main St., Jonesboro, Ark. 1-6-tf

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WANTED--Dependable experienced, married man to take charge of a completely mechanized cattle feeding operation. No hand labor involved in feeding of cattle. Very good salary. Nice home on highway close to large town. George Pitts, Route 1, Bloomington, Illinois. Phone Ellsworth, Illinois; 2771. 2-19-6t

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PRESSMAN wanted for Letterpress printing. Must be experienced. 205 S. New Madrid, Sikeston, Mo. 1-10-tf

12A-SALESMEN WANTED

$17,000 PLUS REGULAR CASH BONUS for man over 40 in Sikeston area. Take short auto trips to contact customers. Air mail. K. S. Brooks, Vice Pres., Texas Refinery Corp., Box 711, Fort Worth 1, Texas. 2-22-6t

13-LOST & FOUND

FOUND--Beagle hound south of Miner. Owner may have by calling GR 1-4624 or after 5:30 GR 1-0544, and pay for ad. 2-23-3t

17-SPECIAL SERVICES

HELPEE SELFEE
Coin Laundry
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Federal and State Income Tax forms computed. 817 Pine--GR 1-4812. 1-17-tf

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Ed Zimmer -- GR 1-0386

19-PETS

FOR SALE--Poodles. Silver miniatures. AKC. 4 months-shots. Call GR 1-3951. 2-25-2t

20-FEED & SEED

FOR SALE -- Alfalfa hay. $22.50 per ton. Call MA 4-2702, Dexter, Missouri. 2-22-5t

21-NEW & USED CARS

FOR SALE--1965 Chevelle 4 door. 16,000 miles. See at Wade's Body Shop or call GR 1-1151 after 6 p.m. 2-25-3t

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FRIDAY FEBRUARY 25

5:45 THE SCOREBOARD
5:55 WATCHING THE WEATHER
6:00 CBS EVENING NEWS - COLOR CBS
6:30 THE WILD, WILD WEST CBS
7:30 HOGAN'S HEROES - COLOR CBS
8:00 GOMER PYLE USMC - COLOR CBS
8:30 THE SMOTHERS BROTHERS CBS
9:00 TRIALS OF O'BRIEN CBS
10:00 CHANNEL 12 REPORTS
10:15 THE LATE WEATHER
10:25 THE SPORTS FINAL
10:30 CHANNEL 12 COLOR THEATRE (BROKEN ARROW- JAMES STEWART, JEFF CHANDLER & DEBRA PAGET)
12:10 LATE NEWS HIGHLIGHTS

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 26

6:15 SUNRISE SEMESTER CBS
6:45 SAT. MORNING NEWS & WEATHER
7:00 CAPTAIN KANGAROO CBS
8:00 HECKLE & JECKLE - COLOR CBS
8:30 TENNESSEE TUXEDO - COLOR CBS
9:00 MIGHTY MOUSE - COLOR CBS
9:30 LINUS THE LION HEARTED - COLOR
10:00 TOM & JERRY - COLOR CBS
10:30 QUICK DRAW MC GRAW - COLOR CB
11:00 SKY KING CBS
11:30 LASSIE CBS
12:00 MY FRIEND FLICKA - COLOR CBS
12:30 SATURDAY MATINEE DOUBLE FEATURE
3:00 COUNTRY JUNCTION
3:30 THE RHODES SHOW
4:00 CBS GOLF CLASSIC CBS
5:00 THE LLOYD THAXTON SHOW
5:00 CBS SAT. EVENING NEWS - COLOR
5:30 THE JACKIE GLEASON SHOW CBS
7:30 SECRET AGENT CBS
8:30 THE LONER CBS
9:00 GUNSMOKE CBS
10:00 THE SATURDAY NIGHT NEWS
10:15 THE SHOW OF THE WEEK (MR. SOFT TOUCH- GLENN FORD & EVELYN KEYES)
11:55 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (WHEN THE REDSKINS RODE- JON HALL & MARY CASTLE)
1:15 INVITATION FOR TOMORROW

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 27

6:15 THE CHRISTOPHERS
6:30 THE BIG PICTURE
7:00 THE LE FEVRE'S SHOW
7:30 THE LESTER FAMILY SING
8:00 SINGIN' TIME IN DIXIE
8:00 HERALD OF TRUTH
8:25 LAMP UNTO MY FEET CBS
9:00 LOOK UP & LIVE CBS
10:00 CAMERA THREE CBS
10:30 THE ANSWER
11:00 THIS IS THE LIFE
11:30 FACE THE NATION CBS
12:00 HOLLYWOOD MATINEE
1:30 CBS SPORTS SPECTACULAR CBS
3:00 ALUMNI FUN CBS
3:30 COLOR FEATURE
4:00 MISTER ED CBS
4:30 AMATEUR HOUR - COLOR CBS
5:30 TWENTIETH CENTURY CBS
6:30 SUNDAY AFTERNOON NEWS
6:30 LASSIE - COLOR CBS
7:30 MY FAVORITE MARTIAN - COLOR
8:00 THE ED SULLIVAN SHOW - COLOR
9:00 PERRY MASON - COLOR CBS
9:00 CANDID CAMERA CBS
9:30 WHAT'S MY LINE CBS
10:00 CBS SUNDAY NEWS CBS
10:15 SUNDAY NIGHT NEWS & WEATHER
10:30 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (THE IRON GLOVE- ROBERT STACK & URSULA THIESS)
11:50 THE LIVING PRAYER

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FRIDAY P.M. - Feb. 25

5:30 Camp Runamuck - c
7:00 Hank - c
7:30 Sammy Davis Show - c
8:30 Mr. Roberts
9:00 Man from U.N.C.L.E. - c
10:00 News Picture
10:15 Tonight Show - c

SATURDAY - Feb. 26

7:00 RFD-TV
7:30 Atop the Fence Post
7:55 News
8:00 The Jetsons - c
8:30 Atom Ant - c
9:00 Secret Squirrel - c
9:30 Underdog - c
10:00 Top Cat - c
10:30 Fury
11:00 The First Look - c
11:30 Exploring
12:00 Weekend at the Movies "My Gun is Quick" Robert Bray, Whitney Blake
2:00 SEC Basketball Tenn./Ky.
4:00 Wonderful World of Golf -
5:00 Studio Bowling
5:30 Scherer-MacNeil Report
6:00 Porter Wagoner
6:30 Flipper - c
7:00 Jeannie
7:30 Get Smart - c
8:00 Sat. Night at the Movies "My Favorite Spy"
10:00 News
10:15 Weekend at the Movies - c
"The Private War of Major Benson" Charleton Heston, Julie Adams

SUNDAY - Feb. 27

7:00 Faith for Today
7:30 Gospel Singing Jubilee
8:30 Paducah Devotion
9:15 Hamilton Bros. Quartet
9:30 Christophers
9:45 Sacred Heart
10:00 This is the Life
10:30 The Answer
11:00 Popeye - c
11:30 File 6
12:00 Meet the Press - c
12:30 Frontiers of Faith
1:00 File 6
2:00 Jr. Matinee Music Club
3:00 Sports in Action - c
4:00 Wild Kingdom - c
4:30 GE College Bowl - c
5:00 Frank McGee - c
5:30 Bell Telephone - c
6:30 Wonderful World of Color - c
7:30 Branded - c
8:00 Bonanza- c
9:00 Wackiest Ship in Army - c
10:00 News, Weather, Sports
10:15 Weekend at the Movies - c "Never Steal Anything Small" James Cagney, Shirley Jones

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25

6:00 Cactus Pete
6:25 Weather
6:30 Flintstones (C)
7:00 Tammy (C)
7:30 Addams Family
8:00 Honey West
8:30 Farmers Daughter(C)
9:00 Jimmy Dean
10:00 Weather & News
10:20 Science Fiction Theatre Last Woman On Earth
11:20 87th Precinct
12:30 AM News & Sign Off

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26

8:30 Adventure Club
9:00 Porky Pig (C)
9:30 Beatles (C)
10:00 Casper Party Time(C)
10:30 Magilla Gorilla (C)
11:00 Bugs Bunny (C)
11:30 Milton Monster (C)
12:00 Hoppity Hooper (C)
12:30 American Bandstand
1:30 Pro Bowlers Tour
3:00 Big Ten Basketball Ill. vs. Minn.
4:30 World of Sports
5:30 Laramie
6:30 Ozzie & Harriet (C)
7:00 Donna Reed
7:30 Lawrence Welk (C)
8:30 Hollywood Palace(C)
9:30 ABC Scope
10:00 Bob Young-News
10:15 Have Gun Will Travel
10:45 Saturday Nite Movie About Face
1: AM Sign Off

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27

9:00 Beany & Cecil (C)
9:30 Peter Potamus (C)
10:00 Bullwinkle (C)
10:30 Discovery
11:00 Educational
11:30 Educational
12:00 Direction 66
12:30 Oral Roberts
1:00 NBA Game of the Week Boston Celtics vs. Baltimore Bullets
3:00 American Sportsman(C)
4:00 Anatomy of Pop Music
5:00 Allen Revival Hour
5:30 Lawman
6:00 Voyage To Sea (C)
7:00 FBI (C)
8:00 Sunday Night Movie(C) Holiday For Lovers
10:00 Bob Young-News
10:15 Sunday Nite Late Movie Convicts Four
12:00 Sign Off

No Agreement

Although authorities are not in agreement on a natural boundary between Europe and Asia, a commonly accepted division of the two continents is formed by the Ural Mountains, Ural River, Caspian Sea, Caucasus Mountains and the Black Sea, with its outlets, the Bosporus and Dardanelles.

Looking Back Over The Years

50 years ago
Feb. 25, 1916

Miss Carrie Hess left for Paducah, Ky., Saturday to take up her duties as teacher in the public school. She was accompanied as far as Ullim, Ill., by her mother.

Miss Ella Edmondson has accepted a position in the telephone office at East Prairie.

40 years ago
Feb. 25, 1926

The last issue of The Standard carried an advertisement for J. M. Pitman, in which he said he would clean and press, free of charge, dresses, coats and suits for girls and boys under 12 years of age, if brought to his place of business on February 15, and called for later when finished. Up to 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, 178 garments had been left at his place of business to be cleaned and pressed.

New Madrid -- Mrs. A. F. Moore and Misses Mildred and Lena Lewis accompanied by Howard Hampton, spent several days last week in Cairo.

On Friday afternoon of this week, grades two and three will present a Washington's birthday program at the high school auditorium, to which the public is invited. Free.

30 years ago
Feb. 25, 1936

The management of the Malone Theatre announces that it has been successful in booking one of Major Edward Rowe's famous amateur units to appear at that theatre on March 6, for one day only.

Lightning and water put 145 telephones out of order Wednesday morning. O. T. Elder, manager of the Southeast Missouri Telephone Co., offices here, said water that entered a cracked sheet on a principal cable stopped service of 100 telephones in the business houses and the Marshall hotel on Malone avenue and in residences south of the street. An additional scattered 45 were put out of commission when lightning struck in the north part of town.

The Butz Sales Co., of Cape Girardeau will open a branch office here March 1 in the North Kingshighway office now occupied by the Slack insurance agency. Orville Taylor will be manager.

Bids for the new grammar school building to be constructed on a lot north of the athletic field will be accepted soon after detailed plans for the structure are completed.

20 years ago
Feb. 25, 1946

The Anniston High School basketball team, dark horse of the Sub-Regional Tournament captured first place at East Prairie Friday night by beating the Charleston Bluejays 31 to 19. Sikeston defeated Morley 42 to 28 to win third place.

Rex Theatre, today, "Heavenly Body" with William Powell and Hedy Lemar. Malone Theatre, today, "Shady Lady" with Charles Coburn and Ginny Simms. Tomorrow, "Radio Stars on Parade" with Frances Langford and Brown & Carey, plus "Appointment In Tokyo."

A group of friends surprised Mrs. M. E. Childress on Friday evening with a dinner and bridge party, the occasion being Mrs. Childress' birthday.

Funeral services for Edgar L. Jones, 31, who died Wednesday in St. Louis of a heart attack, were held Thursday afternoon from the Assembly of God Church in Sikeston.

Hanoi Hardliners' Control over War Policy Appears to Be Firm

WASHINGTON AP -- Communist North Viet Nam evidently has had its own closed-circuit version of the U.S. policy debate on the course of the Vietnamese war. The hardliners in Hanoi who refuse negotiations appear firmly in control.

Expert analysts say they cannot tell if there is any real split within the government of 76-year-old President Ho Chi Minh that goes beyond immediate tactics.

But there is no doubt of the stern public rebuke administered earlier this month by party theoretician Le Duc Tho to what he called "a small number of comrades who have developed erroneous thoughts and views.

"They entertain subjectivism and pacifism," complained Tho. "They display pessimism and fail to realize clearly the deceptive peace negotiation plot of the enemy."

While striking out at the doubters and waverers, Le Duc Tho mentioned no names. Experts believe these are at least three or four in the top ranks of Hanoi's hierarchy and assume that there may be 30 or 40 more scattered through the second echelon of leaders.

It is known here that Alexander Shelepin, the secretary of the powerful Soviet Central Committee, left Hanoi in mid-January after a visit without feeling there was any room for the moderates.

It is also known here that at no time during or since the 37-day pause in U.S. bombing of North Vietnamese targets has the North Vietnamese leadership shown any difference in approach that might encourage negotiations.

Inside Ho's politburo, the pro-Chinese element is believed led by Truonk Chinh, 58. He is the militant chief ideologist of the Communist party.

He played a leading role in establishing the revolutionary government and was a member of the North Vietnamese delegation to the 1954 Geneva conference. Ten years ago he fell into disgrace for his handling of a land reform program but reappeared after a short eclipse of two years.

Ranking second to Ho in the party hierarchy is Le Duan, 58, the first secretary of the central committee. He is said to be pro-Soviet rather than pro-Chinese. Nevertheless he is one of the driving forces behind the Viet Cong in South Viet Nam.

Le Duan and Le Duc Tho have been bitter rivals for more than a decade. They headed competing Communist groups in South Viet Nam during the war that preceded the 1954 Geneva agreement.

Also counted in the pro-Soviet team is Prime Minister Van Dog, 58. He headed North Viet Nam's delegations to the Geneva conferences in 1954 and 1962. He has been premier and foreign minister.

Le Duc Tho's criticism of foreign policy apparently was aimed at Dong.

Among the generals, Gen. Vo Vguyen Giap, who defeated the French in the 1954 battle of Dien Bien Phu, is a hardliner who is believed to stand nearer to Moscow than Peking.

The top general among the pro-Chinese group is Gen. Nguyen Chi Thanh, considered a close collaborator with Truong Chinh. Ho has made frequent trips to both Moscow and Peking in his efforts to steer a middle course, knowing his regime depends on continued aid from both Communist giants.

PUT A TIGER ON THE TABLE—Here's a perky placemat that will add to any child's mealtime pleasure. White cotton cloth is appliqued with a friendly tiger cut from Bondex iron-on cotton fabric. Free instruction leaflets available from the National Cotton Council, P. O. Box 12285, Memphis, Tennessee.

ANN LANDERS

Answers Your Problems

Dear Ann Landers: I'm writing about that grief-stricken college boy whose sweetheart confessed she had had intimate relations with a high school lad. I know the type. I'll bet he had affairs with at least six girls while he was in high school. He arrives at college and is disappointed not to find an abundance of "white flower" girls. Where have all the lovely flowers gone? To the high school boys like "Grief-Stricken" -- I'll bet.

If these creeps think so highly of virgins why don't they leave a few around? Can you imagine a girl who has had six or seven affairs demanding that her fiance be 100 per cent pure? The fellow would fall down laughing.

A male with sex experience is called a lover. A woman with sex experience is called a tramp. Men want to marry lily - white maidens but they also like to take their fun where they find it. Such hypocrisy makes me sick. -- MISS K. Q.

Dear Miss K. Q.: If I had your address I'd send you a get well card. Thanks for a good letter. You speak the truth, Lady.

Dear Ann Landers: I have worked for this firm for 12 years. I started at a modest salary because the boss assured me that I would "grow with the company." The company has grown and I've made a significant contribution. Yet I've received exactly one salary increase -- four years ago.

There are no bonus arrangements, no stock options, no chance that I will ever share in the profits. I'm on a straight salary, plus a turkey for Christmas. Whenever I talk to my boss about a raise he tells me I'm loyal, and invaluable to the company. He lays on the compliments, then says I should be happy to work for people who appreciate me.

I have three children to put through college. When I ask my wife if I should leave she says, "A bird in the hand--." What do you advise? -- SOFT-SOAPED

Dear Soaped: They won't take birds as payment for college tuition anymore, or compliments either.

Look around for a company that can use your talents. Equally important is the quality of people you'd be working for and with. Be selective. When you find the combination tell your boss good-bye, and next Christmas send HIM a turkey.

Dear Ann: When I first married Jim he always seemed to disappear when guests arrived. He'd either go to the basement and repair the lawn mower or out to the garage and change the oil in the car, or upstairs to rummage around in old papers and magazines.

It caused me a lot of embarrassment and he knew it, but he just wouldn't change so I gave up inviting company at night.

Now that our children are teen-agers it's the same story. When Carla told us a boy friend would be coming over and she wanted dad to meet him I knew what would happen. And it did. The minute the boy showed up, Jim went downstairs and started to putter around. He stayed there for an hour.

Finally Carla took the boy downstairs and introduced him to her dad. Jim was very friendly and they got along fine. What can be done to change Jim? Why is he like this?-- CONCERNED

Dear Con: Jim is ill at ease with strangers and he avoids discomfort by "disappearing." I doubt that he will ever change, so accept him as he is -- and work around it as best you can.

If excessive drinking is wrecking your health or destroying someone you love, send for Ann Landers' booklet, "Help For The Alcoholic," enclosing with your request 20 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

USE THE DAILY SIKESTON STANDARD CLASSIFIED ADS

Girl Scouts Work on Safe Driving Project

CHARLESTON -- Girl Scouts in the Cotton Boll Council and Otahki District are working on a project to stress safety in driving. Called the "Safety Daisy," the "gimmick" is a small white and yellow artificial flower which is to be placed in an automobile where the driver can see it.

THE DAISY IS to remind the driver of the Girl Scouts' concern for safety, and to encourage him to buckle seat belts, obey traffic laws, heed road signs, and follow other safe driving habits.

The girls have been cutting, assembling and signing Safety Daisies in their troop meetings the past few weeks. The projected was suggested by the name of the founder of Girl Scouting, Mrs. Juliette "Daisy" Lowe.

Governor Hearnes and the Highway Patrol are participating in the project, and encouraging adults to do so.

APPROXIMATELY 1,000 daisies will be distributed by the 12 troops to parents, friends, service clubs and organizations during the week of March 1.

Organizations receiving daisies, and the troop and leaders presenting the flowers, are as follows:

Mississippi County Rescue Unit, Troop 116, Mrs. Sam Story.

Rotary Club, Troop 126, Misses Sandra Struwe and Linda Reeves.

PEO, Troop 8, Mrs. Jim Thurmond and Mrs. Handy Moore.

Athena Club, Troop 47, Mrs. Joe Ellis Jr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson.

Jaycees, Troop 116.

Auxiliary Police, Troop 59, Mrs. Robert Thomason and Mrs. Carl Asa.

20th Century Club, Troop 31, Mrs. Norman Harper.

Katherine Boone Music Club, Troop 56, Mrs. Chas. Fowlkes and Mrs. Helen Cogdill.

Molly French Garden Club, Troop 1, Mrs. Edsel Vied and Mrs. Chas. Jordan Jr.

Junior Study Club, Troop 183, Mrs. Harry Warren Jr. and Mrs. Chas. Burcks.

Business and Professional Women, Troop 47.

Lions, Troop 266, Mrs. John Dernoncourt.

Kiwanis, Troop 72, Mrs. Fred Ferrell and Mrs. Russell Sutherland.

Woman's Study Club, Troop 3, Mrs. E. Riley Brown, Jr., Mrs. Ray Hillhouse and Mrs. Nancy Barborek.

Court Grants Divorces

NEW MADRID -- Divorces were granted in two suits in a session Monday of circuit court.

A guilty plea was entered from Bobby Ray Collins, who was charged with felonious assault and Judge Ragland took the case under advisement.

A decree of divorce was granted in the suit of Leaum Mills against Edith Mills and custody of two minor children and $10 per child per week was awarded to defendant.

In the other divorce suit, a decree was granted to Sandra Kay Scott from Edward F. Scott and name of plaintiff was ordered restored to Sandra Kay Reed.

Settlement Approved

NEW MADRID-- Circuit court with Judge William L. Ragland presiding, Monday, approved settlement of $151,000 in a suit against the St. Louis - San Francisco Railway company.

Walter Von Taylor and Cora Edith Taylor were paid that sum as a result of a car-train collision at 12:25 p.m. Sept. 17, 1964 at the Route D crossing in New Madrid county near the village of Charter Oak.

Taylor received severe brain damage and remains hospitalized. Mrs. Taylor received several broken ribs, broken left arm and right knee. She was hospitalized until October 2, 1965.

According to R. F. Welsh, chief railway claim agent, this settlement was the highest paid in the history of the Frisco Railway company.

The suit filed by the Taylors through their attorney, Charles C. Hatley of New Madrid, alleged that the defendant, Frisco, its agents and employees, failed to give an adequate and timely warning of the approach of its train at the crossing.

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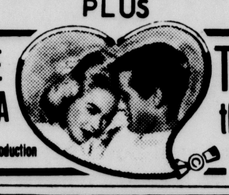

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The Prayer
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"You are my witnesses," says the Lord. (Isaiah 43:10, RSV)

PRAYER: O God, may our prayers, joined with the petitions of others on this World Day of Prayer, witness our unselfish love for all men and our firm hope for peace among all nations. We pray in the name of our Lord and Master. Amen.

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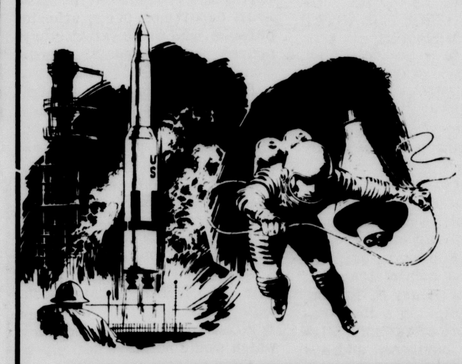

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By CLAY R POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Saturday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

ARIES MAR 22 – APR 20	2 7 26 31 33 48 67	1 Be	31 For	61 Concerning	LIBRA SEPT 23 – OCT 23
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		8 Don't	38 Anything	68 Which	8-10-13-34 37-46-57
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		10 Wait	40 The	70 On	9-27-32-42 54-63-73
		11 Be	41 Greatly	71 Long	PISCES FEB 20 – MAR 21
		12 Secret	42 Explore	72 Can	3-12-20-29 49-52-82-87
		13 For	43 Background	73 Proposition	
		14 Injured	44 In	74 Money	
		15 Practical	45 Be	75 Now	
		16 Magnetism	46 Things	76 Some	
		17 Feelings	47 What	77 Impress	
		18 Careful	48 Agreements	78 Others	
		19 Personal	49 Become	79 Distance	
		20 Revealed	50 Be	80 Things	
		21 Can	51 Excellent	81 Be	
		22 Affairs	52 A	82 Pleasant	
		23 May	53 For	83 Dream	
		24 Will	54 A	84 Don't	
		25 Consistent	55 You	85 Waver	
		26 Good	56 Float	86 Clouds	
		27 Prospect	57 Yourself	87 Surprise	
		28 With	58 Unsettled	88 Harmful	
		29 Child	59 Travel	89 Secret	
		30 Don't	60 Or	90 Calls	

Good · Adverse · Neutral 2/26

Dances

ACROSS
1 Brazilian dance
6 Scottish dance
10 Araceous (bot.)
11 Entices
15 South American dance
16 Silliest
17 Wapiti
18 Scottish sailyard
20 Outside (comb. form)
21 Pasty material (pl.)
24 Chop
25 Bog
26 Tabula —— (clean slate)
30 Seed covering
31 Dance in 4-4 time (2 words)
34 Showy plant
37 Man's name
38 Imitator
39 Czech city
41 Gave food to
43 Dwell
45 Sacred image
47 Roof finial
48 Milkfish
51 Grow rapidly (two words)
54 Estonian island
56 Transform
57 Modern dance
58 Girl's name
59 Defense group (ab.)

DOWN
1 Glut
2 Russian lake
3 Friar
4 Large
5 Worships
6 Utters incoherently
7 Guido's high note
8 Biblical high priest
9 Hawk's leash
12 Maps again
13 Italian city
14 Store away
19 Beast of burden
21 Dance in 2-4 time
22 Rio de ——
23 Musical instrument (coll.)
25 Shakespearean queen
26 Native metal
27 Lively dance
29 Mink ——
31 Musical note
32 Native (suffix)
33 Heavy weight
35 Saul's grandfather
36 Anger
39 Disease of poultry
40 Stupid ones
41 Exchequer
42 Reverberation
44 Dividing walls (biol.)
46 Bossa —— (modern dance)
48 Continent
49 Direction
50 Singing voice
52 Numeral
53 Footed vase
55 Female sheep

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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NEW FAD—Actress Milla Sannoner takes deadly aim on her role in a new film being made in Rome. "Three Winchester Rifleshots for Ringo." Westerns are a current fad of Italian moviegoers and Milla could be one reason for their present popularity.

Today In U. S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Friday, Feb. 25, the 56th day of 1966. There are 309 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1779, George Rogers Clark's 170 ragged men captured Vincennes, Ind., the key British post of the territory northwest of the Ohio River.

On this date

In 1783, Denmark recognized U.S. Independence.

In 1836, Samuel Colt patented the six-shooter or revolving pistol, the first practical arm of its kind.

In 1913, the United States Steel Corporation was formed.

In 1913, the income tax amendment to the Constitution was declared in force.

Ten years ago—The 20th Congress of the Soviet Communist party in Moscow ended with a rewriting of Russian history by party leaders.

Five years ago—Russia's satellite sputnik burned up in space.

One year ago—A federal district court dismissed a felony indictment against 17 men accused of conspiracy in the slaying of three civil rights workers in Neshoba County, Miss.

Vegetable Growers Discuss Plans

A meeting was held Thursday for the vegetable growers in this area at the Holiday Inn, when Wendell Choate, Charleston, and other growers, met with members of the marketing division, state department of agriculture of Jefferson City.

State officials present were, Lowell Mohler, director; Leroy Kruger, fruits and vegetables; Murry Glasscock, assistant director. Herbert R. Cathey also was present.

Vegetable growing for the coming season was discussed.

QUICK QUIZ

Q—What is the political status of Puerto Rico?

A—It is a free commonwealth associated with the United States.

Q—How many United States presidents married while in office?

A—Three—Tyler, Cleveland and Wilson. Only Grover Cleveland had the ceremony held in the White House.

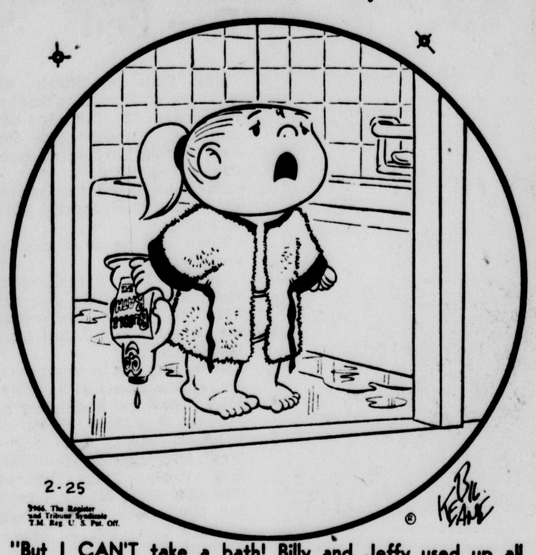
Q—Is Alexander an English name?

A—No. It is from the Greek and means "defender of man."

Q—Who first removed sugar from sugar beets?

A—A German scientist, Andreas Marggraf, in 1747.

THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane

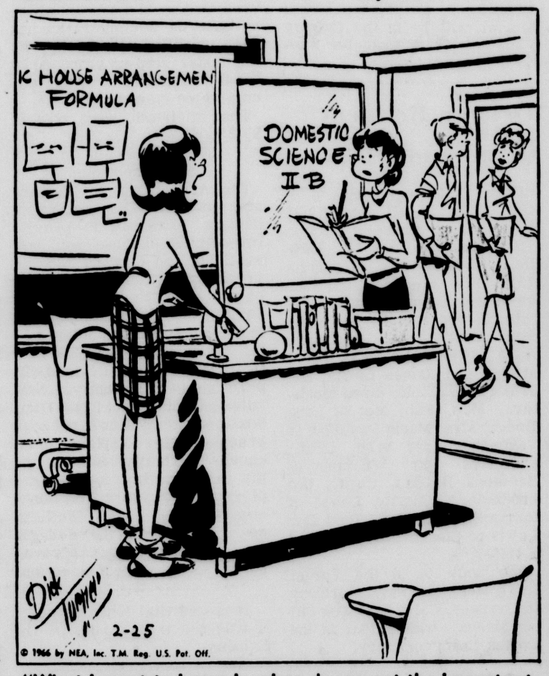


"But I CAN'T take a bath! Billy and Jeffy used up all the bubbly stuff!"

TIZZY by Kate Osann

"I've refused all dates for three days now. I want to see if it's possible to get along without boys!"

CARNIVAL By Dick Turner



"What I want to know is when do we get the important part of this course—how to catch the guys we teach all this stuff to?"

SIDE GLANCES By Gill Fox

"Come over and try my spaghetti, Joe. The wife's away, so bring a plate for yourself!"

BEN CASEY by Neal Adams

PEANUTS by Schulz

MARY WORTH by Saunders & Ernst

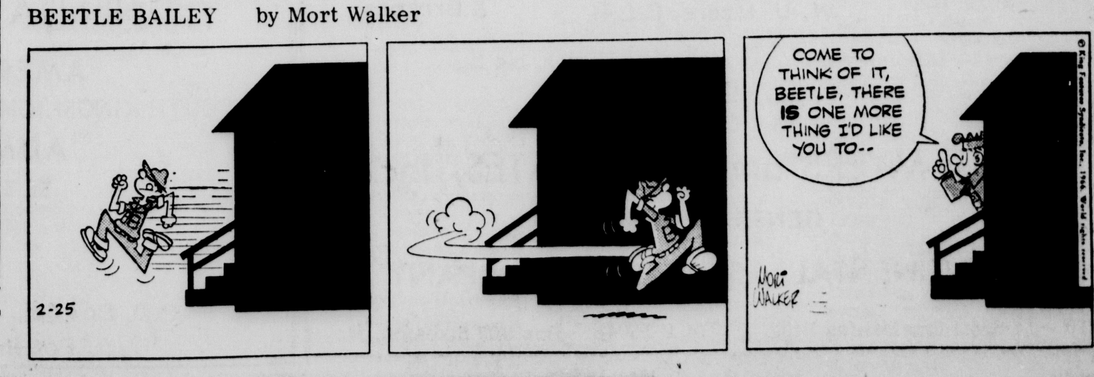
CAPTAIN EASY by Leslie Turner

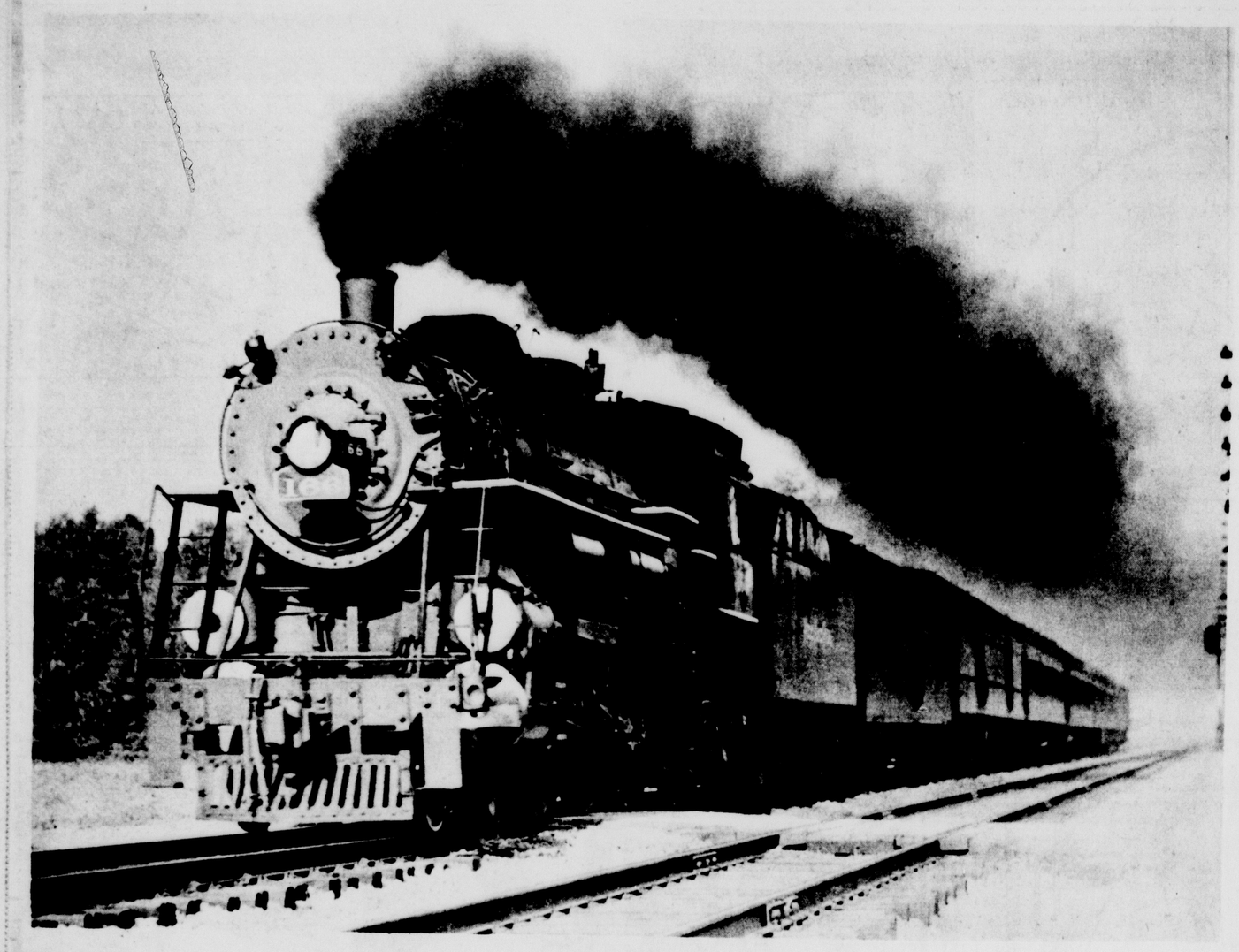
STEVE CANYON by Milton Caniff

THE PHANTOM by Lee Falk & Sy Barry

ALLEY OOP by V. T. Hamlin

BEETLE BAILEY by Mort Walker





The Nickel Plate Story

By: John Rehor, Published by: Kalmbach Publishing Co., 1027 N. 7th St., Milwaukee, Wis., 53233, Price: $16.50, Available: Now.

"The Nickel Plate Story", by John Rehor, is one of the most complete, throughly researched documentaries in modern rail-history writing.

This all-inclusive delineation of the Nickel Plate Railroad, from the details of the original construction to its absorption into the Norfolk & Western through merger, is actually a series of accounts of the people, industries and equipment which played a part in this railroad's colorful past.

Probably the most interesting people in the book were the Van Sweringens, who matched wits competitively against the Vanderbilt and Gould dynasties to parlay in seven years $520,000 of borrowed money into over seventeen million dollars plus 54.17 per cent of the voting stock of this prosperous railroad. Despite this they died 12 years later of heartbreak and frustration, bankrupt.

The astounding details of the Nickel Plate's acquisition of the Clover Leaf, Lake Erie & Western, and Wheeling & Lake Erie railroads are recounted in "The Nickel Plate Story" along with the economic backgrounds of those lines and an inside view of the amazing methods employed in accomplishing these financial coups.

Even though the Nickel Plate name has now disappeared, it will live in history as the road which reached forward into the thinking of our time to provide a hot shot freight line that produced a profit despite always effective competition.

"The Nickel Plate Story," a 480-page book with more than 150,000 words and 527 halftones, plus maps, locomotive rosters and an excellent index, is certain to delight the historian, economist and railfan alike.

Mrs. Hinkle Found In Her Bed

Mrs. Effie Bell Hinkle, 80, was found dead in a bed at her home, 121 Fifth St., this morning. Coroner Clyde Poe said that she had died of natural causes.

She had been under a doctor's care. She died shortly after midnight.

There will be no inquest or autopsy.

She had been a resident of Sikeston since 1943. She was born Oct. 10, 1885, in Sikeston, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hinkle.

She is survived by three sons, Walter Winchester of Bay City, Mich., Bernice Winchester of Sikeston and Fred Jordan of Ypsilanti, Mich.; four daughters, Mrs. Lucille Alexander, Mrs. Evelyn Payne, both of Sikeston; Mrs. Beulah Powell and Mrs. Chril Beasley, both of Cape Girardeau; 22 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

The body is at the Bisplinghoff Funeral Home in Illmo.

Today in Washington

Physicians Will Be Drafted

WASHINGTON AP -- Starting in July, Selective Service will begin drafting 2,496 physicians for the armed forces.

The Defense Department says it needs 1,446 doctors for the Army, 700 for the Navy and 350 for the Air Force.

And, before the doctors go, 900 male nurses will be drafted for active duty in the Army and Navy. This draft starts in April.

The department said the action was necessary to meet added medical requirements for South Viet Nam casualties and because of the over-all increase in military strength.

WASHINGTON AP--The House and the administration have ended a near impasse on proposed increases in the minimum wage.

Rep. Adam Clayton Powell, D-N.Y., chariman of the Education and Labor Committee, reported Thursday that he had endorsed an increase to $1.40 an hour this year and $1.60 in 1968.

Powell had been holding out against demands by organized labor for a boost to $1.60 next year.

Minimum wage legislation has been tied up in a subcommittee because the administration has been unwilling to go along with the faster step-up proposed by labor and backed by some subcommittee members.

The minimum wage now is $1.25 an hour.

Capital Footnotes

The Army plans to organize new guided missile - armed air defense battalions to provide low-altitude defense not now available in forward battle areas. . .The United States may buy up to $300 million worth of British-made military equipment to help Britain offset dollar payments for new F111 tactical fighter planes England will purchase in this country. . .New rules put into effect by the Civil Service Commission to put government hiring completely on an equal-opportunity basis will apply to 2.5 million federal employes. . .President Johnson's nomination of Lee C. White to be chairman of the Federal Power Commission is approved by the Senate without objection.

It is said that King Rameses II was the pharaoh of the Exodus.

VIET NAM MONTAGE

BY DICK VAUGHAN

The pains of war are well known. There has been much written, filmed, recorded, and documented about the tragedies of a war. But sometimes, in the overall scope, the small, inconsequental hurts that one suffers can be easily overlooked, and the world will continue to turn, totally oblivious to the sorrow of one of God's creatures.

I became aware of a pain and sorrow, infinitesimally small perhaps, but somehow appropos to the whole of this war.

Our company is one that was formed for the express purpose of going to war. There were a few months of preparation involved, while we drew equipment, packaged it for shipment, trained personnel, and actually loaded all the equipment aboard the train to begin the long journey to its destination.

A dog, underfed, collarless, and quite afraid, wandered into the company area one day soon after the company was formed. One of the G. I.'s. perhaps remembering a dog that he has so recently shared his childhood with, befriended this stray animal. Soon others were making overtures to the dog, and before you knew it, the company had acquired a mascot.

He went by man names. Some, no doubt reminded the namers of their own family pets, while others reflected the time known originality of the American G. I. Names like Pal, Spot, First Sergeant, Colonel, Hey You, Mutt, K. P., AWOL, and many others. There was however, genuine affection in all the names, and the dog responded happily to all of them.

Soon, Mutt's coat began to glisten, and he took on the well fed look of a cherished member of the family. It was an association that mutually beneficial, because even the lowest ranking soldier in the company always knew there was one other member in the command upon whom he could vent his wrath without fear of reprisal. Mutt took these occasional tirades in pained silence, perhaps somehow sensing that his job in this company was in its own way, just as important as that of the company commander, or the First Sergeant. He entered enthusiastically into the activities of the company, accompanying us on the long morning runs, barking encouragingly at those who lagged, to keep going. He inspected the loading of the flat cars on the train, ensuring no doubt, to his satisfaction, that the trucks, trailers, and other items of equipment were securely lashed. He attended lectures, and classes, and learned the deadly look of a Claymore mine, and listened to the staccato snap of an M-60 machine gun.

The company finally left for Viet Nam, leaving behind two officers, and eight enlisted men as both rear and advanced party. I was one of the officers. Our job was to turn in the buildings, and sever all connections which stretch unbilical-like, between post headquarters and the company. We were then to fly to Viet Nam, so as to arrive before the main body, which is traveling by ship, and there, re - establish these life lines with higher commands.

Yesterday, I stood in the company street, and looked at the lonely, quiet buildings. The wind whipped through, cold and biting, and the bare limbs of the trees rattled dryly. A piece of paper rode in on the wind, glued itself to an empty mop-rack, then worked its way off, and continued its journey.

Suddenly, my eyes were drawn to a movement behind the closed mess hall. There stood the dog, waiting as he did each evening, for the men to finish their meal, and bring him something to eat, and even more important, to speak to him, pet him and invite him to join them. He couldn't know that the company was gone, that he was one of the casualties of this war. All he knew was that he was alone once more, and even though I went to him and petted him, I found it difficult to face the hurt confusion in his eyes.

He jerked his head once, and cocked his ears, perhaps thinking he heard the drumming boots of a marching platoon, or the spontaneous laughter of one of the men, but realized at once that there was nothing.

There was no way for me to explain to him that it was impossible for us to take him with us, or that there would soon be another company of men occupying these same barracks, and that he, just as any other transferred soldier, would have to adjust to a new company.

He shook himself once, as if he had just emerged from a pool of water, and walked slowly down the length of the company street, and on across the Parade Field. I watched him as long as I could, but somehow the cold wind seemed much colder, and finally drove me back inside the shelter of the building.

The quietness of the deserted company area seemed to close in on me, and I felt very much alone.

Twitty Will Study Schools in Russia

Supt. of Schools Lynn Twitty has been selected by the American Association of School Administrators as one of a group of United States school superintendents to make a study of education in the Soviet Union.

He will leave March 25. There will be stops in Berlin, Copenhagen, Helsinki before Leningrad, Moscow, Tbilisi and Kiev all in Russia, before going to Austria and Poland. He will return to New York April 27.

USE THE DAILY SIKESTON STANDARD CLASSIFIED ADS

Troop Makes Arkansas Trip

Boy Scout Troop 148, sponsored by the Rotary club, made a trip to Arkansas last weekend. They arrived at their destination at 6 p.m. Friday night.

The troop's leaders are Bill Robinson, Wencel Moye and G. Hartley Jones.

The group explored caves Saturday and in one of the caves found an underground lake. Moye had explored the caves earlier and had found them safe.

Saturday afternoon the troop went to Norfork Dam and Lake. The Scouts toured the Norfork Fish hatchery. Sunday the Scouts hiked over a prepared trail and at the end of each patrol found cookies waiting for them.

Members of the troop making the trip were Greg Hernandez, Rodney Taylor, Joe Carter, John Winders, Allen Grimes, Mike Maloney, Mark Robinson, Kenny Wren, Darrell Wyatt and Don Maloney.

Tickets Available For Dinner

CHARLESTON -- Tickets are now available for the Missouri March of Dimes appreciation dinner for Governor and Mrs. Warren E. Hearnes. Tickets may be purchased from County MOD Chairman Ronald Pilz or MOD Treasurer Bill Russell. Tickets are $10 each. Mississippi County has been alloted 50 tickets for the affair.

The dinner will be held at the American Legion Home in Sikeston on March 4 at 7 p.m. Jack Buck of the St. Louis Cardinals radio - television staff will serve as master of ceremonies.

Lt. Governor Thomas F. Eagleton, state March of Dimes chairman, will also attend the dinner.

Profits from the dinner will benefit the National Foundation's fight against crippling diseases.

Morehouse War Veteran Dies

MOREHOUSE -- James Wayne Coatney, 48, died Thursday at 10:45 a.m. in Veterans Hospital in St. Louis, where he had been a patient 10 days.

He was born in Clifton, Tenn., Sept. 26, 1917, son of Mrs. Mattie Coatney and Rid C. Coatney.

He has lived in Morehouse 22 years.

He came to this area as a small boy. In 1934 he married Lola Goodwin, who survives.

Other survivors are, his mother; two sons, James W. Coatney, Morehouse, and Raymond C. Coatney, Kokomo, Ind.; one brother, T. L. Coatney, Morehouse, and three grandchildren.

The body is at the Watkins and Sons Funeral Home with tentative services scheduled for Saturday at 2 p.m.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

National Stockyards

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. AP -- Estimated receipts for Monday, hogs 8,500; cattle 4,500; calves 200; sheep 500.

Hogs 5,500; barrows and gilts steady to strong, instances 25 higher; sows weak to 50 lower, 190-240 lb barrows and gilts 27.00-75; 350-650 lb sows 23.75-25.00.

Cattle 200; calves 50; not enough steers or heifers to test market; cows weak in a clean-up trade; cows 17.50-18.50; vealers steady; good to choice vealers 26.00-35.00.

Sheep 200; wooled lambs mostly steady; scattered lots good to choice wooled lambs steady 25.00-28.00.

Weight Distribution

In the average egg, the white accounts for about 58 per cent, the yolk about 31 per cent and the shell 11 per cent of the total weight of the hen's egg.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
Anheuser B.	46½	48½
Ark Mo Power	20¾	22¼
Fed. Compress	29¾	31¾
Malone & Hyde	28	30
Mo Utilities	22¾	24¾
Pabst Brewing	37½	39½
Potlatch Forest	33½	35½
Transogram	6⅛	8
Wetterau	25	27
Gen. Life Wis	5½	6½
Mark Twain L.	2½	3½
Mid West Life	8	9
Tower Nat. Life	1¾	2¼
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		81¼
Amer. Tel. & Tel.		58⅞
Columbia Gas		28¼
Eaton Mfg. Co.		68½
Emerson Elec.		56⅜
Ford Motors		52⅞
Foremost Dairy		25
General Motors		99¼
New England Elec.		26¾

Editors Note: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone GR 1-5350.

Sikeston Woman's Brother Dies

LOS ANGELES, Calif. -- Doyle Posey, 52, died at 11:30 a.m. Thursday. He was a maintenance man at a school.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, two daughters, one sister, Mrs. Mattie Jackson of Sikeston, Mo., and one brother, Harvey Posey of Chattanooga, Tenn.

William Swan, 56, Dies in Anniston

EAST PRAIRIE -- William Guy Swan, 56, died at 4:30 a.m. today at the home of his sister, Mrs. William H. Goodman in Anniston. He was a carpenter employed by McTigue and Parker construction company.

He was born in Cardwell Feb. 9, 1910.

He lived in Mississippi county 20 years and was a member of the Church of Christ. He married Phyllis Loveall, who survives.

Other survivors are three daughters, Misses Nora and Venus Swan, both of Portageville, and Mrs. Dorothy Mainord, Paragould, Ark.; one son, Guy Van Swan, one brother, Harold Swan, Paragould, Ark.

The body is at the Shelby Funeral Home.

Campaniles

A campanile is a bell tower most commonly built beside or attached to a church. The famous leaning tower of Pisa is an example of a campanile.

Stays Put

A porcupine rarely wanders far away once it has picked a wintering spot. Sometimes it will stay in one tree for weeks at a time during zero weather.

Gilz Services Set Saturday

CHARLESTON -- Services for John B. Gilz, 46, farmer, who died Thursday of a heart attack while visiting in Oklahoma City, Okla., will be held Saturday at 10 a.m. in St. Henry's Catholic church, with the Rev. Msgr. Charles P. Smith, officiating. Burial will be in the Calvary cemetery, with Nunnelee Funeral Home in charge.

Former Resident Of Sikeston Dies

LONG BEACH, Calif. -- I. Gordon Lewis, 80, died at 9:30 a.m. today at a hospital.

He was born Feb. 2, 1886. He lived in Sikeston, Mo., from 1916 until two years ago when he moved to Long Beach.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bertie Lewis; two sons, R. E. "Bob" Lewis of Flint, Mich., and James Lewis, address unavailable; three daughters, Mrs. Ruby Mot of Long Beach, Mrs. Marie Swanigan of Vandenburg air base, Calif., and Mrs. Mary Williams of Hacienda Heights, Calif.; two brothers, Charlie Lewis of Indian Mound, Tenn. and Guy Lewis of Clarksville, Tenn. and a sister.

The body is at the Forest Lawn Memorial Park Mortuary in Cypress, Calif. Services will be Monday with burial in the Forest Lawn cemetery.

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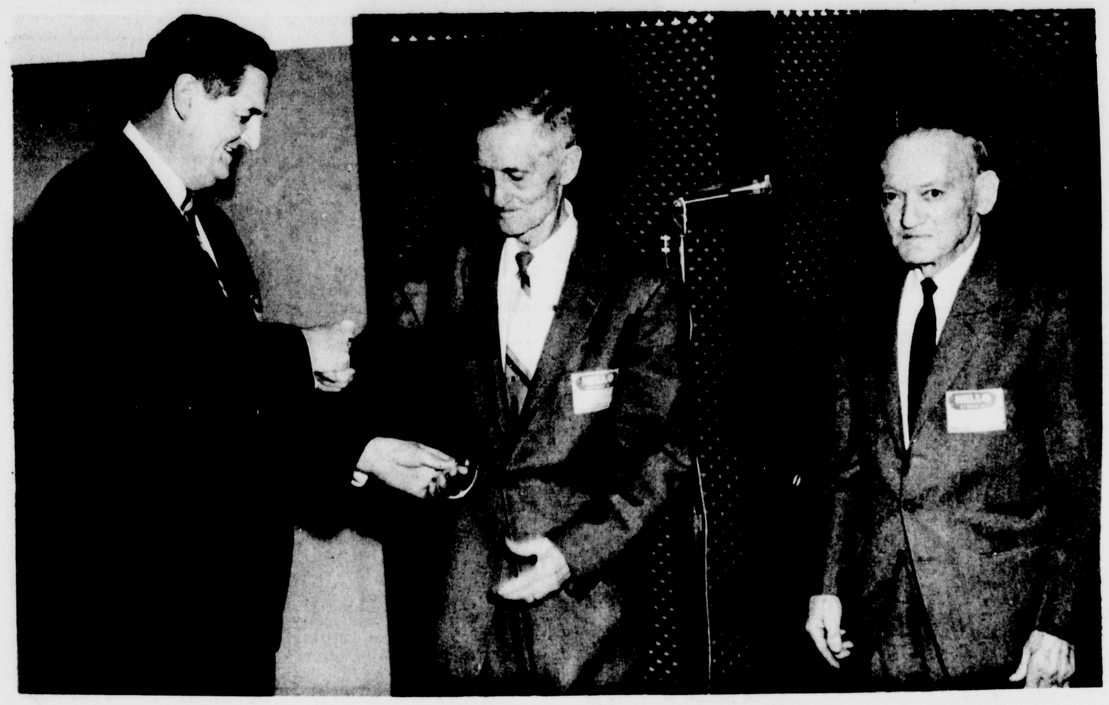

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His appearance as the 10th candidate seeking the Democratic nomination in the May 3 party primary set the stage for a showdown between his self-styled moderate philosophy and the hard - core segregationist stand of Wallace.

The governor's wife said that if she is elected Wallace will continue to run the state government. Wallace's term ends in January.

Flowers, a self-styled racial moderate, has opposed Wallace's defiance of federal authority.

Another Wallace critic, State Sen. Bob Gilchrist of Hartselle, appeared likely to jump into the already crowded gubernatorial field before the qualifying deadline Tuesday.

He was one of the senators who blocked the governor's attempt last October to change the law so he could run for re-election, and was an active campaign worker for another candidate, Ryan deGraffenried, who died in a plane crash two weeks ago.

The attractive, honey blonde Mrs. Wallace, 39, became the ninth candidate in the governor's race.

With her husband at her side, she told a cherring throng of followers crowded into the State House of Representatives chamber that she would run as a "stand-in" for Wallace.

She made it clear that if elected, her husband would run the governor's office and decide policy as he does now.

Flowers' chances in the party primary will depend in great measure on how an estimated 200,000 registered Negroes vote. He may have to compete for Negro support with another self-designated moderate candidate, former congressman Carl Elliott.

Fromer Gov. James E. Folsom, who barely missed the runoff four years ago when he sought a third term, is campaigning again. He, too, may win Negro votes.

Mrs. Wallace, on the other hand, will find another governor, John Patterson, going after the conservative support in a state which voted overwhelmingly for Republican Barry Goldwater in the presidential election two years ago.

Other democratic candidates are A. W. Todd, state agriculture commissioner, who made an unsuccessful race for governor eight years ago, and political newcomers, Charles Woods, Sherman Powell, C. Rex Scott and Mrs. Ralph Price.

The winners of the Democratic nomination will be up against spirited Republican opposition in the November general election.

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Johnson Blueprint Frightens Jones

Special to Daily Standard

WASHINGTON -- Blueprints made by the administration and its advisors for the future of the country "are nothing short of frightening" Rep. Paul Jones (D-Mo.) told the house of representatives.

He cited a recent report on proposals of the president, his economic advisors, and a special commission which included the statement "all past ideas" of what the government "can do", or "can afford are being junked" in future plans. It added "the role of the states will dwindle", and their power "will fade".

Jones told the house the problem is whether or not Congress will do its part or will permit "the drive now under way" to change this country into the "most socialistic state in the world".

He noted that the advisors have approved the idea of the "guaranteed minimum wage", or of the negative income tax. In other words if the person's income is below a certain amount, about $3,000, the government will send him a check to make up the difference.

Some have advocated the minimum wage in industries, which mean the industry would make up the difference.

For some time Jones pointed out that certain leaders, and especially Negro leaders have urged the guaranteed minimum wage, or the negative income tax, and the president's advisors now have accepted it, he said.

He said also the program calls for the person having a college education, if he wants it. He noted that the guaranteed minimum wage proposal would cost between $2 and $20 billion a year, the president's advisors say.

Jones said the most surprising of the proposals by the president's advisors was the agreement that Negroes should be sent a special check by the government. This he said has been advocated by certain Negro leaders such as Randolph of the Porters Union. It's been suggested that $10 billion a year be disbursed to Negroes in this way.

The program also calls for rebuilding cities, beautifying them, and providing recreation for the people.

The advisors also have approved rent subsidies, and the president asked for $30 million to get this program started. If a person lived in a rundown house, he could move into a much better one, on the best street in town. He could pay one fourth of his income for rent, and the government could pay the rest.

Much of the socalled poverty program is geared to the blueprints for the future as set out here, which have been approved by the president and his advisors.

The article referred to by Jones is in the Feb. 21 issue of U.S. News and World Report.

Approach Called Wrong

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — The chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee, Sen. J. Pat Patterson, D-Caruthersville, today criticized the way Peter C. Robertson approaches his job as executive director of the Human Rights Commission.

He accused Robertson of trying to arouse racial tension rather than eliminate it.

"We need some common horse sense in this program," Patterson said. "If we can't do it legally and properly then let's drop it altogether."

He accused Robertson of "persecuting my people by blasting them in the newspapers" on racial issues.

He also referred to a race relations committee meeting in Caruthersville several months ago which Robertson was invited to attend. Perhaps he would be able to help find job opportunities for some of the unemployed in Pemiscot County, the committee suggested.

Instead, Patterson said he was told by friends, both Negro and white, Robertson tried to arouse racial trouble.

"Why can't you reason with people without being dictatorial?" Patterson asked Robertson. Robertson, who attended the committee hearing to explain his commission's money needs, sat silent as Patterson scolded him.

Patterson also said Robertson refused to believe that everyone was getting along well in the school system in Pemiscot County. He said the school superintendent told him Robertson had telephoned and insisted the school system had some racial problems Robertson would be able to solve.

Later when Robertson attempted to defend his statements at the Caruthersville meeting, Patterson abruptly closed the hearing on the Human Rights Commission.

"The Irish in me can only stand so much," the senator said.

The incident occurred just before the Senate committee adjourned for the weekend.

Thursday night Gov. Warren E. Hearnes outlined in a St. Louis speech Missouri's whole budget problem.

Postman Will Have Census Role

WASHINGTON AP -- For most Americans the census taker in 1970 could turn out to be the postman.

Andrew F. Brimmer, assistant secretary of commerce for economic affairs, said a census by mail technique will represent a basic change in the enumerating process for the 1970 nose count.

In a talk prepared for a conference of population and housing census users, Brimmer said most Americans will answer the 1970 census by filling out a form delivered by the postman rather than face an enumerator for a personal interview.

"This system will save money and produce more reliable results," he said. "Some persons may be less inhibited in answering questions if they are merely filling out a form rather than facing an interviewer. After all, sometimes that interviewer is the person who lives next door."

General Praises Troops

SAIGON, South Viet Nam AP -- Gen. William C. Westmoreland, commander of U. S. forces in Viet Nam, paid high tribute today to 2,500 American infantrymen while on a personal tour of the battle - scarred jungle north of Saigon where they hurled back a fierce predawn Viet Cong assault Thursday.

Astride the hood of a jeep, the general told his men: "You gave the enemy a sound defeat and I am proud of you. Your performance was in the highest spirit and professional conduct of U. S. fighting men. I salute you."

The discovery of 46 more bodies outside the camp's barbed-wire defenses raised the toll of enemy dead to at least 135. Many more were believed to have been dragged away by the Viet Cong. Fifteen Communists were taken prisoner.

While officers of the U. S. 1st Infantry Division's First Brigade briefed Westmoreland on one of the heaviest attacks of the war experienced by American troops, action elsewhere in the past 24 hours tapered off. U. S., South Vietnamese and other Allied troops reported only sporadic contact with the enemy.

The U.S. 1st Air Cavalry's sweep south of Bong Son, 300 miles northeast of Saigon, closed out the fourth week of the division-size search for the Viet Cong with 30 more insurgents killed today.

Since Jan. 28, the cavalry claims 1,323 Viet Cong killed and 397 captured together with an arsenal of 275 weapons.

A third day of heavy rains curbed air raids against North Viet Nam. The thick overcast allowed only four air strikes against roads and bridges around the coastal city of Vinh, 165 miles south of Hanoi. The 7th Fleet's jets made no sorties against the North Thursday.

However, the Strategic Air Command's eight-engine B52s came in over the weather from Guam to pound Communist targets this afternoon in South Viet Nam's Thua Thien Province, 15 miles west of the old Imperial capital of Hue. The raid accompanied a flareup of military action in the northern part of the country.

Labor Leader In Scandal

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP)—James B. Carey, the labor union president who resigned in an election fraud scandal, will take a new $21,000-a-year job with the blessing of the same fellow labor leaders who once disowned him, it was learned today.

Carey, founder and only president of the AFL-CIO International Union of Electrical Workers until he quit in 1964, will direct labor activities of the United Nations Association of the U.S.A., a private organization that drums up support and interest in the United Nations.

It was learned that the Industrial Union Department of the AFL-CIO approved Carey's appointment to the new post of directing a larger role for labor among citizens groups supporting the United Nations.

March Draft Call Reduced

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon said today a sharp upturn in enlistments has enabled it to cut its March draft call by 10,500 to 22,400—the lowest figure since a call for 16,500 men last August.

The Defense Department originally asked the Selective Service for 32,900 inductees for March.

But it said it was reducing that call after reviewing enlistment results for January.

Army enlistments in January totaled about 19,000 —the highest monthly figure in more than a decade.

The Defense Department said the March call reduction does not reflect any change in military strength plans.

The Pentagon determines its monthly draft calls after considering such factors as expected losses, gains through enlistments and re-enlistments, and training capacities in relation to approved military strength levels.

Kennett Man Dies in Fall

KENNETT, Mo. AP -- Harold Mays, 22, was injured fatally today when he fell from a ladder while working in the Amerson Electric Manufacturing Co. plant.

Aerialist Dies

READING, Pa. AP -- Edwin Snyder, 77, former internationally known circus aerialist, died Thursday.

New Ghana Rulers Tell Of Misrule

ACCRA, Ghana AP -- Ghana's new military leaders say they overthrew President Kwame Nkrumah because he had abused individual rights and liberties.

"He has been running the country as if it were his own personal property," Radio Ghana, controlled by the new regime, said Thursday.

Announcing the creation of a National Revolutionary Council, the radio said Nkrumah's "gross economic mismanagement" had forced Ghana to "the brink of national bankruptcy."

"What we need," the radio said, "is a radical revolution of our financial and economic policies. This will be done almost immediately."

The army seized power before dawn Thursday while Nkrumah was en route to Peking. He arrived there a few hours after the takeover was announced in a radio broadcast.

The broadcast announcing the coup identified Col. E. K. Kotoka as leader of the revolt.

He announced that the 10,000-man army had taken power, dissolved Parliament, dismissed Nkrumah and outlawed his Convention People's party -- the only party Nkrumah had allowed.

Nkrumah to Return Soon

MOSCOW AP -- Kwame Nkrumah said in a statement made in Peking that he will return to Ghana soon, Tass reported today.

The official Soviet news agency, in a story datelined Peking, also quoted the deposed Ghanian president as saying:

"I am the constitutional head of the Republic of Ghana and the supreme commander of the armed forces."

Tass said Nkrumah "knows about the situation in Ghana" and will continue his tour of Asian countries.

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Joel Wooten, 226 Fuch St., was charged with having no city auto sticker, no operator's license and improper registration after his arrest by police.

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Car Strikes Pedestrian

Zula Fowlkes, 69, a Caruthersville pedestrian, was critically injured last night at 8:35 p.m., while crossing highway 61 in Hayti, the state patrol reported.

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On Interstate 55, a half mile north of Scott City, Clinton Toeklington, 26, of South Standard, Ill., was parked on the road after a tire had blown out. His car was struck by a 1958 Pontiac, driven by Anita Speers, 19, Sikeston

The Speers car skidded on the slick pavement into the parked vehicle. Neither driver received injury.

Cape Bond Sales Exception

All counties in the Southeast Missouri, have lagged on the January quota of the U. S. Savings bonds, with a lone exception.

The goal was eight per cent of the annual total.

Scott, Stoddard and New Madrid Counties showed three per cent; Mississippi and Pemiscot two per cent, and Dunklin one percent.

Cape Girardeau county reported 8.6 per cent.

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By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Snow covered populous sections of the Eastern quarter of the nation today, disrupting air and highway travel in some cities.

A storm that dumped nearly a foot of snow in Arkansas Thursday swept into areas from the eastern Appalachians into New England. Snow tapered off late Thursday night and early today in some sections, including New York City, Washington and Philadelphia.

Heaviest snowfall was 13 inches at Charlottesville, Va.

Drug Developer Faces Tax Charge

CHICAGO AP -- A complaint charging Dr. Stevan Durovic, 60, developer of Krebiozen, with evading nearly $200,000 in income taxes has been filed before U. S. Commissioner C. S. Bentley Pike.

The complaint, filed Thursday, alleged that Dr. Durovic earned $242,498 in 1960 but that he reported a loss of $115,237 and paid only $216 in income tax.

The complaint contended most of Durovic's income for 1960 was from the sale of Krebiozen, a drug taken by some cancer sufferers, and that he attempted to evade $195,710 in income tax.

Durovic; his brother, Marko, 64, a lawyer; Dr. Andrew C. Ivy, 73, a physiologist; and Dr. William F. P. Phillips, 52, a physician, were acquitted last month by a U. S. District Court jury of mail fraud and conspiracy charges in selling and promoting Krebiozen.

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Three Fined For Drinking

Judge E. R. Schrader fined three persons in city court Thursday:

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Don Powell and James Walton, both of Morehouse, both charged with drunkenness, were each fined $12.

Chili Cash to Go to Youth

All money obtained from a Rotary Club chili day Monday will go to support the club's youth activities.

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NEW MADRID -- Speeders outnumbered other offenders this week in magistrate court but three faced felony charges.

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The last prominent mention of Mao being seen in public was Nov. 24, and then it was simply at a reception at his home for Anna Louise Strong, the American leftist writer, now living in Peking, on her 80th birthday.

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There are now 16 members of the ruling politburo. It has admitted no new members since May 1948, and since then four have died and one was purged. The rest are of advanced age.

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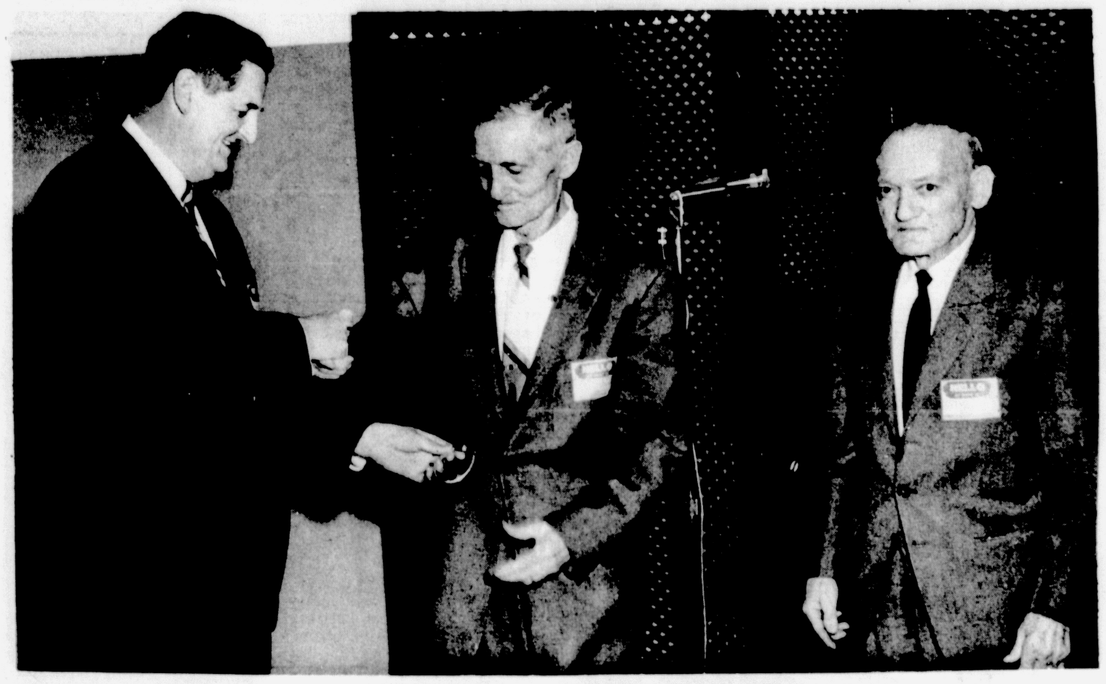

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The sources, who released the information on condition that their names not be used, said the telephone calls were designed to stop a resolution that would have in effect endorsed a World Council of Churches statement.

That statement, made last week in Geneva, called for an immediate cease-fire in Viet Nam and for U. S. realization that there is a social revolution in Viet Nam that best can be handled by the Vietnamese.

Attorney General Leaps Into Governor Race

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)—Atty. Gen. Richmond Flowers jumped into the race for governor of Alabama today after a similar announcement from Gov. George Wallace's wife.

Flowers appealed for "the vote of all the people—the Negro vote and the white vote."

He announced his candidacy at a news conference about 24 hours after Lurleen Wallace entered the race.

His appearance as the 10th candidate seeking the Democratic nomination in the May 3 party primary set the stage for a showdown between his self-styled moderate philosophy and the hard - core segregationist stand of Wallace.

The governor's wife said that if she is elected Wallace will continue to run the state government. Wallace's term ends in January.

Flowers, a self-styled racial moderate, has opposed Wallace's defiance of federal authority.

Another Wallace critic, State Sen. Bob Gilchrist of Hartselle, appeared likely to jump into the already crowded gubernatorial field before the qualifying deadline Tuesday.

He was one of the senators who blocked the governor's attempt last October to change the law so he could run for re-election, and was an active campaign worker for another candidate, Ryan deGraffenried, who died in a plane crash two weeks ago.

The attractive, honey blonde Mrs. Wallace, 39, became the ninth candidate in the governor's race.

With her husband at her side, she told a cherring throng of followers crowded into the State House of Representatives chamber that she would run as a "stand-in" for Wallace.

She made it clear that if elected, her husband would run the governor's office and decide policy as he does now.

Flowers' chances in the party primary will depend in great measure on how an estimated 200,000 registered Negroes vote. He may have to compete for Negro support with another self-designated moderate candidate, former congressman Carl Elliott.

Fromer Gov. James E. Folsom, who barely missed the runoff four years ago when he sought a third term, is campaigning again. He, too, may win Negro votes.

Mrs. Wallace, on the other hand, will find another governor, John Patterson, going after the conservative support in a state which voted overwhelmingly for Republican Barry Goldwater in the presidential election two years ago.

Other democratic candidates are A. W. Todd, state agriculture commissioner, who made an unsuccessful race for governor eight years ago, and political newcomers, Charles Woods, Sherman Powell, C. Rex Scott and Mrs. Ralph Price.

The winners of the Democratic nomination will be up against spirited Republican opposition in the November general election.

Johnson Blueprint Frightens Jones

Special to Daily Standard

WASHINGTON -- Blueprints made by the administration and its advisors for the future of the country "are nothing short of frightening" Rep. Paul Jones (D-Mo.) told the house of representatives.

He cited a recent report on proposals of the president, his economic advisors, and a special commission which included the statement "all past ideas" of what the government "can do", or "can afford are being junked" in future plans. It added "the role of the states will dwindle", and their power "will fade".

Jones told the house the problem is whether or not Congress will do its part or will permit "the drive now under way" to change this country into the "most socialistic state in the world".

He noted that the advisors have approved the idea of the "guaranteed minimum wage", or of the negative income tax. In other words if the person's income is below a certain amount, about $3,000, the government will send him a check to make up the difference.

Some have advocated the minimum wage in industries, which mean the industry would make up the difference.

For some time Jones pointed out that certain leaders, and especially Negro leaders have urged the guaranteed minimum wage, or the negative income tax, and the president's advisors now have accepted it, he said.

He said also the program calls for the person having a college education, if he wants it. He noted that the guaranteed minimum wage proposal would cost between $2 and $20 billion a year, the president's advisors say.

Jones said the most surprising of the proposals by the president's advisors was the agreement that Negroes should be sent a special check by the government. This he said has been advocated by certain Negro leaders such as Randolph of the Porters Union. It's been suggested that $10 billion a year be disbursed to Negroes in this way.

The program also calls for rebuilding cities, beautifying them, and providing recreation for the people.

The advisors also have approved rent subsidies, and the president asked for $30 million to get this program started. If a person lived in a rundown house, he could move into a much better one, on the best street in town. He could pay one fourth of his income for rent, and the government could pay the rest.

Much of the socalled poverty program is geared to the blueprints for the future as set out here, which have been approved by the president and his advisors.

The article referred to by Jones is in the Feb. 21 issue of U.S. News and World Report.

Labor Leader In Scandal

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP)—James B. Carey, the labor union president who resigned in an election fraud scandal, will take a new $21,000-a-year job with the blessing of the same fellow labor leaders who once disowned him, it was learned today.

Carey, founder and only president of the AFL-CIO International Union of Electrical Workers until he quit in 1964, will direct labor activities of the United Nations Association of the U.S.A., a private organization that drums up support and interest in the United Nations.

It was learned that the Industrial Union Department of the AFL-CIO approved Carey's appointment to the new post of directing a larger role for labor among citizens groups supporting the United Nations.

March Draft Call Reduced

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon said today a sharp upturn in enlistments has enabled it to cut its March draft call by 10,500 to 22,400—the lowest figure since a call for 16,500 men last August.

The Defense Department originally asked the Selective Service for 32,900 inductees for March.

But it said it was reducing that call after reviewing enlistment results for January.

Army enlistments in January totaled about 19,000 —the highest monthly figure in more than a decade.

The Defense Department said the March call reduction does not reflect any change in military strength plans.

The Pentagon determines its monthly draft calls after considering such factors as expected losses, gains through enlistments and re-enlistments, and training capacities in relation to approved military strength levels.

Kennett Man Dies in Fall

KENNETT, Mo. AP -- Harold Mays, 22, was injured fatally today when he fell from a ladder while working in the Amerson Electric Manufacturing Co. plant.

Aerialist Dies

READING, Pa. AP -- Edwin Snyder, 77, former internationally known circus aerialist, died Thursday.

New Ghana Rulers Tell Of Misrule

ACCRA, Ghana AP -- Ghana's new military leaders say they overthrew President Kwame Nkrumah because he had abused individual rights and liberties.

"He has been running the country as if it were his own personal property," Radio Ghana, controlled by the new regime, said Thursday.

Announcing the creation of a National Revolutionary Council, the radio said Nkrumah's "gross economic mismanagement" had forced Ghana to "the brink of national bankruptcy."

"What we need," the radio said, "is a radical revolution of our financial and economic policies. This will be done almost immediately."

The army seized power before dawn Thursday while Nkrumah was en route to Peking. He arrived there a few hours after the takeover was announced in a radio broadcast.

The broadcast announcing the coup identified Col. E. K. Kotoka as leader of the revolt.

He announced that the 10,000-man army had taken power, dissolved Parliament, dismissed Nkrumah and outlawed his Convention People's party -- the only party Nkrumah had allowed.

Nkrumah to Return Soon

MOSCOW AP -- Kwame Nkrumah said in a statement made in Peking that he will return to Ghana soon, Tass reported today.

The official Soviet news agency, in a story datelined Peking, also quoted the deposed Ghanian president as saying:

"I am the constitutional head of the Republic of Ghana and the supreme commander of the armed forces."

Tass said Nkrumah "knows about the situation in Ghana" and will continue his tour of Asian countries.

Three Charges Filed by Police

Joel Wooten, 226 Fuch St., was charged with having no city auto sticker, no operator's license and improper registration after his arrest by police.

Leon Robinson route three, Matthews, charged with burglary and larceny, was turned over to Scott county authorities.

Adue Ray Jones, 420 Dorothy, was charged with careless and imprudent driving.

Approach Called Wrong

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — The chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee, Sen. J. Pat Patterson, D-Caruthersville, today criticized the way Peter C. Robertson approaches his job as executive director of the Human Rights Commission.

He accused Robertson of trying to arouse racial tension rather than eliminate it.

"We need some common horse sense in this program," Patterson said. "If we can't do it legally and properly then let's drop it altogether."

He accused Robertson of "persecuting my people by blasting them in the newspapers" on racial issues.

He also referred to a race relations committee meeting in Caruthersville several months ago which Robertson was invited to attend. Perhaps he would be able to help find job opportunities for some of the unemployed in Pemiscot County, the committee suggested.

Instead, Patterson said he was told by friends, both Negro and white, Robertson tried to arouse racial trouble.

"Why can't you reason with people without being dictatorial?" Patterson asked Robertson. Robertson, who attended the committee hearing to explain his commission's money needs, sat silent as Patterson scolded him.

Patterson also said Robertson refused to believe that everyone was getting along well in the school system in Pemiscot County. He said the school superintendent told him Robertson had telephoned and insisted the school system had some racial problems Robertson would be able to solve.

Later when Robertson attempted to defend his statements at the Caruthersville meeting, Patterson abruptly closed the hearing on the Human Rights Commission.

"The Irish in me can only stand so much," the senator said.

The incident occurred just before the Senate committee adjourned for the weekend.

Thursday night Gov. Warren E. Hearnes outlined in a St. Louis speech Missouri's whole budget problem.

Car Strikes Pedestrian

Zula Fowlkes, 69, a Caruthersville pedestrian, was critically injured last night at 8:35 p.m., while crossing highway 61 in Hayti, the state patrol reported.

She was struck by a 1966 Pontiac, driven by James McCrary, 59, Hayti, as she stepped in front of the passing vehicle while crossing the highway. She is a patient in the Pemiscot Memorial Hospital in Hayti.

On Interstate 55, a half mile north of Scott City, Clinton Toeklington, 26, of South Standard, Ill., was parked on the road after a tire had blown out. His car was struck by a 1958 Pontiac, driven by Anita Speers, 19, Sikeston

The Speers car skidded on the slick pavement into the parked vehicle. Neither driver received injury.

Cape Bond Sales Exception

All counties in the Southeast Missouri, have lagged on the January quota of the U. S. Savings bonds, with a lone exception.

The goal was eight per cent of the annual total.

Scott, Stoddard and New Madrid Counties showed three per cent; Mississippi and Pemiscot two per cent, and Dunklin one percent.

Cape Girardeau county reported 8.6 per cent.

Sales of bonds in the Bootheel were, Scott $17,193, Stoddard, $9,506, Mississippi $5,943, New Madrid $9,450, Pemiscot $6,506 and Dunklin $6,712, according to an announcement by Donald R. Bohannon bond sales chairman for the county.

Postman Will Have Census Role

WASHINGTON AP -- For most Americans the census taker in 1970 could turn out to be the postman.

Andrew F. Brimmer, assistant secretary of commerce for economic affairs, said a census by mail technique will represent a basic change in the enumerating process for the 1970 nose count.

In a talk prepared for a conference of population and housing census users, Brimmer said most Americans will answer the 1970 census by filling out a form delivered by the postman rather than face an enumerator for a personal interview.

"This system will save money and produce more reliable results," he said. "Some persons may be less inhibited in answering questions if they are merely filling out a form rather than facing an interviewer. After all, sometimes that interviewer is the person who lives next door."

Snow Covers Nation's East

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Snow covered populous sections of the Eastern quarter of the nation today, disrupting air and highway travel in some cities.

A storm that dumped nearly a foot of snow in Arkansas Thursday swept into areas from the eastern Appalachians into New England. Snow tapered off late Thursday night and early today in some sections, including New York City, Washington and Philadelphia.

Heaviest snowfall was 13 inches at Charlottesville, Va.

Drug Developer Faces Tax Charge

CHICAGO AP -- A complaint charging Dr. Stevan Durovic, 60, developer of Krebiozen, with evading nearly $200,000 in income taxes has been filed before U. S. Commissioner C. S. Bentley Pike.

The complaint, filed Thursday, alleged that Dr. Durovic earned $242,498 in 1960 but that he reported a loss of $115,237 and paid only $216 in income tax.

The complaint contended most of Durovic's income for 1960 was from the sale of Krebiozen, a drug taken by some cancer sufferers, and that he attempted to evade $195,710 in income tax.

Durovic; his brother, Marko, 64, a lawyer; Dr. Andrew C. Ivy, 73, a physiologist; and Dr. William F. P. Phillips, 52, a physician, were acquitted last month by a U. S. District Court jury of mail fraud and conspiracy charges in selling and promoting Krebiozen.

During the past 15 years, 10,000 pizza parlors, $5,000 frozen custard stands, 9,180 fowling alleys and 3,500 drive-in-theaters were opened to satisfy the nation's growing appetite for food and entertainment.

General Praises Troops

SAIGON, South Viet Nam AP -- Gen. William C. Westmoreland, commander of U. S. forces in Viet Nam, paid high tribute today to 2,500 American infantrymen while on a personal tour of the battle - scarred jungle north of Saigon where they hurled back a fierce predawn Viet Cong assault Thursday.

Astride the hood of a jeep, the general told his men: "You gave the enemy a sound defeat and I am proud of you. Your performance was in the highest spirit and professional conduct of U. S. fighting men. I salute you."

The discovery of 46 more bodies outside the camp's barbed-wire defenses raised the toll of enemy dead to at least 135. Many more were believed to have been dragged away by the Viet Cong. Fifteen Communists were taken prisoner.

While officers of the U. S. 1st Infantry Division's First Brigade briefed Westmoreland on one of the heaviest attacks of the war experienced by American troops, action elsewhere in the past 24 hours tapered off. U. S., South Vietnamese and other Allied troops reported only sporadic contact with the enemy.

The U.S. 1st Air Cavalry's sweep south of Bong Son, 300 miles northeast of Saigon, closed out the fourth week of the division-size search for the Viet Cong with 30 more insurgents killed today.

Since Jan. 28, the cavalry claims 1,323 Viet Cong killed and 397 captured together with an arsenal of 275 weapons.

A third day of heavy rains curbed air raids against North Viet Nam. The thick overcast allowed only four air strikes against roads and bridges around the coastal city of Vinh, 165 miles south of Hanoi. The 7th Fleet's jets made no sorties against the North Thursday.

However, the Strategic Air Command's eight-engine B52s came in over the weather from Guam to pound Communist targets this afternoon in South Viet Nam's Thua Thien Province, 15 miles west of the old Imperial capital of Hue. The raid accompanied a flareup of military action in the northern part of the country.

Three Fined For Drinking

Judge E. R. Schrader fined three persons in city court Thursday:

Troy V. Powell, Memphis, pleaded guilty to driving while being intoxicated, and was fined $56.

Don Powell and James Walton, both of Morehouse, both charged with drunkenness, were each fined $12.

Chili Cash to Go to Youth

All money obtained from a Rotary Club chili day Monday will go to support the club's youth activities.

The event will be held all day Monday at the Dunn Hotel.

Mao Tze-tung May Be Benched

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Red China's internal propaganda machine hammers so unremittingly on the theme of Mao Tze-tung's Marxist-Leninist sanctity these days that it suggests the Peking leader has given up active direction of party and government affairs.

As an extravagant legend of Mao replaces his physical presence in public, there are signs of pressure on the top leaders of the politburo from the younger party elements. The present propaganda campaign seems to have something to do with this. Perhaps it is a weapon to keep impatient lower echelon elements in check.

The last prominent mention of Mao being seen in public was Nov. 24, and then it was simply at a reception at his home for Anna Louise Strong, the American leftist writer, now living in Peking, on her 80th birthday.

No mention was made in the Peking press of an observance of Mao's 72nd birthday Dec. 26. But for more than a year, the propaganda has been building a cult of worship for Mao as the giver of all Marxist-Leninist wisdom. This campaign is continuing and growing.

The younger party element, men in their 50s who are not veterans of the early party days or of such exploits as Mao's fabled long march of the 1930s, can hardly be suppressed much longer.

There are now 16 members of the ruling politburo. It has admitted no new members since May 1948, and since then four have died and one was purged. The rest are of advanced age.

This inner group gives the appearance of being a collection of equals under Mao, a self-perpetuating hierarchy. But this top leadership soon, in the nature of things, must start dying out.

Speeders Main Offenders In Magistrate Court

NEW MADRID -- Speeders outnumbered other offenders this week in magistrate court but three faced felony charges.

Tommy Angel, charged with assault, waived his preliminary hearing before Judge Erie Wright of Portageville and was ordered held for trial in the circuit court with bond set at $1,000.

Willie Spain and Robert Lee Gray each were charged with burglary and larceny and tampering with a motor vehicle. They waived their preliminary hearings and were bound over to circuit court with bonds set at $1,500 each on the first charge and $1,000 each on the latter.

Exceeding legal speed limits and driving a motor vehicle with out-of-state license brought a fine of $60 to James Robinson.

Those fined for speeding were: Frank Collins, $25, Carroll Lawson Cotton, $11, James Richard Watson, $25, Doyne Clyde Bolden, $20, George Thomas Hogan, $25, Weldon T. Grable, $20, Joseph Elizarde, $25, Harold Brewington, $15; Albert Vincent Balow, $25, Joseph A. Wajak, $25, Edwin J. Goss, $25, and Joseph Francis Allendorff, $15.

Melton Truck Lines paid $110 for operating a motor vehicle without a Missouri public service commission sticker.

Defective brakes violations brought fines of $15 to Stahly Cartage Company and Steel Haulers, Inc.

J. Wayne Hensley and James McArthur Hensley paid $15 each for having no operator's license.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Friday, February 25, 1584, Dijon, France: Beau Frimmel invents flintlock, locks his flints.

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YOUR PERSONAL INVOLVEMENT IN BROTHERHOOD

Name the leaders in the arts, science, politics, humanities, medicine or any other field. A Kennedy, a Baruch, a Fermi, a Bunche, an Oppenheimer, a Rubinstein, a Ghandi, a U Thant or a Sandy Koufax. What do they have in common? Greatness. . .talent. . .dedication. Yet they are of many different religions and races.

No group has a monopoly on leadership since the potential for greatness is in every man, given his basic rights and equal opportunities and the respect of his fellow citizens. And no man in the United States shall be deprived of his rights, according to the American Constitution. Yet despite the lofty words and all the checks and balances, bias and prejudice still inflict terrible damage upon many of our fellow Americans.

Despite today's sometimes shocking headlines, each year there is more hope for brotherhood and there is progress. But progress toward equal opportunity for all must move ahead much faster. And there is something every individual can do.

The National Conference of Christians and Jews, as sponsor of Brotherhood Week, invites us all to fight prejudice within ourselves, within our homes and within our communities to free this country and the world of hate.

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The Colonel told his daughters: "No matter how lovesick you may be, don't take the first pill that comes along."

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SALUTE TO SYMINGTON

It is ironic that Missouri's Senator Stuart Symington, the first man to hold the job as Secretary of the Air Force and an acknowledged authority on military affairs, should be sniped at by critics of the war in Vietnam for performing a great public service.

The Symington sin, it appears, is that he caught General James A. Gavin changing horses in midstream during his testimony before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee on the conduct of the war. For this the Senator now is being characterized in anti-Administration circles as everything from a nit-picker to a war monger.

General Gavin told the committee that he was highly disturbed about the interpretation put on his now celebrated letter to Harper's magazine on Vietnam. He insisted it had not urged a withdrawal of American troops to coastal enclaves. On the contrary, he said, it clearly stated that our troops should retain the positions they now occupy in South Vietnam while renewed efforts are made to find a peaceful solution to the war without escalating it.

It was at this point that Senator Symington began asking General Gavin some searching questions about his precise position before a national television audience.

We are confident that a careful reading of the Gavin letter will lead any objective reader to the same conclusion that the editors of Harper's themselves placed on the communication. This is what they wrote in their foreword to it:

"In the following letter General Gavin presents the first basic criticism of the Administration's policy in Vietnam by a major military figure. As an alternative, he urges the stopping of our bombing in North Vietnam, a halt in the escalation of the ground war, WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICAN TROOPS TO DEFEND A LIMITED NUMBER OF ENCLAVES ALONG THE SOUTH VIETNAM COAST, and renewed efforts 'to find a solution through the United Nations on a conference in Geneva.' "

General Gavin's words in his letter and his oral statements before the committee struck Senator Symington as peculiar, if not contradictory, as they did a good many other people.

We do not know why the General felt compelled to make a switch in his thinking on the enclave theory, which is what he clearly did. But we do know that he should never have advocated any kind of static strategy in the first place. It takes no deep student of modern warfare to understand that this never leads to anything but defeat.

The French learned this to their profound regret in the Maginot Line and again at Dienbienphu.

Senator Symington deserves praise, not abuse, for trying to pin General Gavin down on exactly how he feels about American stragety in Vietnam.

Globe-Democrat

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JOHN R. ALABAUGH of Cumberland, Maryland, was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and then of the United Railway Operating Crafts. He was fired in 1954 from the B & O Railroad when the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers union obtained a "union shop" contract from the B & O.

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Under "union shop" you are FORCED

To join the union.

To pay dues and fees.

To pay your money to finance political activities selected for you.

To accept rules and regulations dictated by a handful of union officials.

If you believe in Freedom and Oppose Compulsion, write or contact your State legislators and request enactment of a Right to Work law.

A right to work law simply takes the COMPULSION out of unionism.

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Hanson W. Baldwin writes in The Reporter: "It is generally recognized in Washington that the military build-up which President Johnson has now launched represents in effect a short-term 'stopgap' policy. The administration hopes that increased but still limited escalation may yet bring Hanoi and Moscow to the conference table. If not, it is prepared to move swiftly into what Washington calls 'the second phase' of far greater committment. In short, the new road in Vietnam may lead a long way without a turning. It will require national patience and fortitude to a degree unmatched in any previous war the United States has fought."

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President Charles de Gaulle of France is being difficult again but his behavior has been predicted for months.

He was credited with having the idea of banishing any foreigners in command of French troops on French soil when he sought re-election as president.

Now he has done it without surprising anyone.

DeGaulle is chief executive of a second rate power. In the world's poker game of international politics, he has never held a hand of cards, only one or two cards. But DeGaulle plays these cards as if he held a full fisted powerhouse.

It is surprising how often he gets his way and how often greater powers defer to him. He is much admired for this quality.

There are many persons who think that history may prove him more right than wrong on many of the positions that he has taken.

DeGaulle himself is not aware that France is no longer a great power. He believes in the grandeur of France. It is almost a religion to him.

But DeGaulle persists in being stubborn and unfriendly to the United States. He does not appreciate this country's assistance and acts of kindness throughout the years.

Since he invites a pull out of United States military leaders, this country's response should be to accept it and strip France of both men and equipment. Both should be placed elsewhere in European countries which do appreciate our presence and the security that we offer without selfish purpose.

If DeGaulle insists on going it alone he should be given the opportunity.

He must then accept the consequences. These may be fatal for France but that's not our responsibility. It is DeGaulle's and the French people who re-elected him as their chief executive.

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Harold Jones, Missouri Delta Community Hospital administrator, says: "The most effective highway safety sign is the one on the side of the patrol car that says POLICE."

Where the State of Missouri got its revenue fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965:

Recapitulation Funds--$441,687,172.27

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February 25, 1913 -- After ratification by the states, the sixteenth amendment is declared legal by the Secretary of State. The first amendment to the constitution to be adopted in the twentieth century, it provided for a federal income tax.

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The cherry is closely related to the almond, peach, apricot and plum. These comprise one of the most important fruit groups -- the "stone" fruits.

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AIR BREAKS

Announcement on Station WMNI, Columbus: "Buckeye Federal Savings and Loan will finance your new home with your interest in mind."

Farm Editor on a western radio station, after grumbling about the "citified" commercials he had to read, reached for another and said, "Well, now here's something we can really get our teeth into--fertilizer!"

Announcement of a church service on a Kentucky radio station: "Sermon: The Importance of Babies delivered by the Rev. Russell G. Bisnett."

TV sports announcer describing Army-Navy football game: "And Navy came onto the field with orange phosphorescent helmets on their backs and ends."

New - car commercial on KFDM-TV in Beaumont, Texas: "Monthly payments in many cases will be less than your repair bill."

A Minneapolis radio announcer reported that the victim of an auto accident suffered "at least two broken legs."

The general manager of Cleveland's station WGAR was introducing Ed Sullivan as guest of honor at a luncheon. After briefly recounting Sullivan's long career as head of a TV show, he remarked, "Ed Sullivan has the longest hour show in TV."

In Charlotte, N.C., while the TV screen showed a pistol pointed at viewers for the opening of a Western, the audio portion asked, "What do doctors recommend for headaches?"

Sheriff addressing a TV audience in a Florida town: "I will wipe out prostitution if I have to tie up all my men to do it."

On Station KABL, Oakland, Calif: "After this announcement, we will continue with our uninterrupted music."

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AND HE KNOWS

Traffic rate clerk: "Have you seen the new theater downtown? It has all the latest gadgets."

OS&D Clerk: "What's it like?"

Traffic Rate Clerk: "Boy, it's really something . . . push a button and your seat comes out; press another button and your program comes out; touch another button and the usherette comes out; touch the usherette and your teeth come out!"

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Walking isn't a lost art. How else can we get to the garage?

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Grandpa was entertaining the children with a series of hair-raising yarns in which he sometimes permitted his imagination a liberal rein. The youngsters were drinking it in.

"Yep," Grandpa went on excitedly, "there I was, right in the middle of a ring of dirty redskins. They were closing in on me, ten thousand of'em, and every one with his arrow pointed straight at me!" Grandpa paused to catch his breath.

"What happened?" cried the children.

"Did the only thing I could do," the old man said with a chuckle, "I joined the Indians."

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The best man at a wedding never has a chance to prove it.

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A TONGUE TWISTER

Read the following sentence over several times, reading it more rapidly each time, and see the trouble your tongue will get into! Here's the sentence:

Ten tongue-tied tailors twisted tinted thistles with their teeth. Who tinted the thistles that the ten tongue-tied tailors twisted?

The squatting squaw seized and squeezed the squirming squirrell.

Pretty perky Peggie's pet Pekinese perched on the purple pillow.

The trig tricky trifler tripped over the ticket-taker's trivot.

She swished the stick the strict Swiss swiped to strike the stringy stripling.

Lively little Lillie likes lizards lots.

The buxom busybody bought the butcher's bushel baskets.

Shy Sheba shivered and shuddered when the shriveled shrew sneered and shuffled by.

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Roy L. Smith, publisher, Chicago, Ill.: "If the world in which you live is a disagreeable place, try changing yourself. If the people around you are unfriendly, try changing yourself. Try putting on a smile in the presence of those who are storming; try speaking a word of thankfulness in the conversation that is filled with complaints; try laughing a bit for the benefit of those who are down-hearted. You will be surprised how quickly the world about you changes when you change your approach to it."

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Strickland Gillilan, journalist, Washington, D. C.: "The first process after hearing something stated should not be an attempt to learn the identity of the person making the assertion, but rather an immediate effort to find if the statement be one of fact or fictions."

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Madison Avenue's definition of death: It's God's way of telling us to slow down!

James R. Wadsworth, V. M. D., Urbana, Ill.: "Almost anyone can become a great person. It does not require fame, fortune, or high position in life. Greatness evolves from an internal metamorphosis -- and inner change and growth which results in a rebirth of the soul. To be great, one must be Christ-like. One must do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with his God."

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IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION

Rightly or wrongly, in many instances decisions of the courts have voided what seemed to be the clear intent of Congress in formulating laws.

That is the case with bank mergers. And this is no small matter. It affects the soundness and stability of the whole banking structure. For, in this dynamic economic era, mergers are often essential if the banks are to provide the best possible financial service to the American people and industry.

Briefly, the situation is this. The Bank Merger Act of 1960 placed the regulation of mergers squarely in the hands of the federal banking supervisory agencies.

So far so good. But, subsequently, court decisions have given the final word on bank mergers to the Justice Department and, in effect, the banking regulatory agencies have been relegated to advisory roles in spite of the fact that Congress said they should have the last word.

The antitrust laws can be used to oppose and prevent mergers, including those effected some years ago, even though this contravenes the intent of Congress as expressed in the Bank Merger Act. And it certainly is clear that the public agencies charged with the duty of examining and supervising banks--which are among the most stringently regulated of businesses -- are best able to decide whether any merger is beneficial to the public or not.

The cure to this chaotic situation lies in a bill introduced by Senator Robertson, chairman of the Senate Banking and Currency Commitee, which makes bank mergers exempt from prosecution under the antitrust laws if they have been approved by the respective supervisory authorities.

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AH THERE, SPOILSPORT

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BITTER COMMUNIST BATTLE

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The U. N. Security debate would have put the Russians on the spot by forcing them to veto peace talks. The Chinese have been pounding them with the accusation that they are the "lackeys of American imperialism," trying to pull "American chestnuts out of the Viet Nam fire."

Ambassador Arthur Goldberg had a two-hour session with President Johnson immediately after his return from Honolulu at which time it was decided not to proceed with a U. N. showdown over Viet Nam now. This column can reveal that the above reasons were among the most important factors discussed.

DAWDLING BUREAUCRACY

Chairman Paul Rand Dixon of the Federal Trade Commission, trained by Sen. Estes Kefauver as a rootin'-tootin' trustbuster, is now following milk-and-water policies that would make Kefauver turn over in his grave.

For five years the Trade Commission has been dawdling over unfair monopoly charges brought against the Community Blood Bank in Kansas City. An FTC investigator made a thorough probe. Extensive hearings were held. It was conclusively shown that certain Kansas City pathologists, working inside certain hospitals, boycotted the blood of one blood bank in order to favor a doctor-organized blood bank.

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U.N.-GO-ROUND

Before the last Security Council debate, Ambassador Goldberg was urged by one State Department official to charge the Russians with pussy-footing for peace. He declined. "I'm not running for office," he told his State Department friend, "I'm trying to make peace." . . . .Henry Cabot Lodge, now ambassador in Saigon, formerly Eisenhower's ambassador to the U.N., made speech after speech before the TV cameras, verbally punching the Russians. It sounded great domestically, boosted him as a candidate for vice president on the Nixon ticket. But it didn't help the cold war thaw which Eisenhower eventually worked out with Khrushchev. . . .Here is an illustration of how rough the debate is getting between the Russians and the Chinese. The Communist paper Hung Chi recently charged: "The new leaders of the Soviet Communist Party. . .want to sow dissension in Chinese-Vietnamese relations and help the United States in its peace plot. They want to find a way out for U.S. imperialism, to enable it to occupy South Viet Nam permanently.". . . .Backing up the Chinese contention that Russia is collaborating with the United States, Hung Chi cited two books published inside Russia on American - Soviet relations which, it said, transformed Presidents Johnson, Kennedy and Eisenhower into "partisans of peace instead of arch war criminals."

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Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

NO RIFT BEHIND SCENES

Despite Grumbling, Labor Building Ultra - Modern Electronic National Political Machine For President Johnson.

Washington, D. C.: -- There is no rift between the nation's labor chiefs and the nation's Chief Executive.

Despite their public grumbling over guideposts and all the mumbo - jumbo and the in-jargon of economic advisers on both sides, the labor movement is welding one of the most modern political machines in U. S. history to re-elect Democratic candidates and keep complete control of Congress in President Johnson's hands this fall.

The new labor vote - getting machinery will be electronicized. It will be cinematized. It will be visualized.

There is such devotion to Mr. Johnson that virtually all regional labor political training sessions now feature a filmed dialogue between the President of the U. S. and George Meany, president of the AFL-CIO.

To these conferences come congressmen to answer the questions of the trainees -- most of them top and second echelon labor leaders recruited by the famous COPE -- Committee on Political Education.

These parleys also are shown slides to perfect block-by-block techniques of vote - getting, dramatizations of the accomplishments of the Congress and most of all the wizardry of electronic campaigning.

This electronic gadgetry will be the key to future labor electioneering. The hard-driving, round-the-clock COPE director, Al Barkan, is responsible for this innovation which will revolutionize the politics of the future.

While the national labor leaders get their grumbling over 14-B into the headlines, he's setting up his electronic data processing for the byways of the land, the wards and precincts and blocks of the big cities.

This computerized campaigning will be at the disposal of the 51 liberal - labor freshman congressmen who rode in on the Johnsonian coattails. It will be used to elect senators, despite the current civic war with the Democrats. And it will be thrown in behind literally thousands of city and state candidates.

Obviously the outward complaints over the failure to get the 14-B repealer through merely are part of a pressure game to warn the Democrats that they must now produce a higher national minimum wage; federalize the unemployment insurance system as a step towards permanent income for unfortunate jobless; and extend the coverage of present minimum wage laws to some eight million more persons.

But it would be folly for the labor movement to abandon the Democratic coalition, one of the top leaders of COPE's administrative board told his colleagues during the AFL-CIO midwinter sessions in Bal Harbour, Fla.

They would leave themselves open to retaliation at the very moment when the National Right-to-Work Committee is planning a drive to outlaw political spending by labor. The Supreme Court has ruled that unions must return to members who object to labor's political action that part of their dues money used for such purposes.

So Mr. Barkan and his aides now are calling on unions in three areas for copies of their membership lists. These will get top security protection so they don't leak out. The regions are the Baltimore - Washington, D. C., metropolitan districts; the entire state of Pennsylvania, and the nine northern counties of California.

These names will be put on electronic tape. They will be "programmed" so that unions' computers will tell the labor stategists in a few minutes which of the members are registered; the political status of their families; their voting addresses by district and precinct.

From such tapes will come more than fast selective mailings. Automatically, block lists of union members will be quickly prepared for canvassing; delinquents in COPE dollar-per-member drives will easily be picked out; route lists will be prepared for drivers to rush to polls. Walk sheets will be swiftly run off to use by COPE precinct workers on election day.

But 1966 will be prelude. The Baltimore - Washington, D. C., operation will become the pattern for city drives. The Pennsylvania operation will become the standard for state campaigns. And the nine - county California experiment will show how regions can be electronicized and galvanized.

By 1968 the entire COPE apparatus may well be put on a data processing basis -- to reelect President Johnson and a liberal - labor Congress.

Pay no heed to the grumbling. The coalition still is tight.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Friday, February 25, 1584, Dijon, France: Beau Frimmel invents flintlock, locks his flints.

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YOUR PERSONAL INVOLVEMENT IN BROTHERHOOD

Name the leaders in the arts, science, politics, humanities, medicine or any other field. A Kennedy, a Baruch, a Fermi, a Bunche, an Oppenheimer, a Rubinstein, a Ghandi, a U Thant or a Sandy Koufax. What do they have in common? Greatness. . .talent. . .dedication. Yet they are of many different religions and races.

No group has a monopoly on leadership since the potential for greatness is in every man, given his basic rights and equal opportunities and the respect of his fellow citizens. And no man in the United States shall be deprived of his rights, according to the American Constitution. Yet despite the lofty words and all the checks and balances, bias and prejudice still inflict terrible damage upon many of our fellow Americans.

Despite today's sometimes shocking headlines, each year there is more hope for brotherhood and there is progress. But progress toward equal opportunity for all must move ahead much faster. And there is something every individual can do.

The National Conference of Christians and Jews, as sponsor of Brotherhood Week, invites us all to fight prejudice within ourselves, within our homes and within our communities to free this country and the world of hate.

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The Colonel told his daughters: "No matter how lovesick you may be, don't take the first pill that comes along."

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SALUTE TO SYMINGTON

It is ironic that Missouri's Senator Stuart Symington, the first man to hold the job as Secretary of the Air Force and an acknowledged authority on military affairs, should be sniped at by critics of the war in Vietnam for performing a great public service.

The Symington sin, it appears, is that he caught General James A. Gavin changing horses in midstream during his testimony before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee on the conduct of the war. For this the Senator now is being characterized in anti-Administration circles as everything from a nit-picker to a war monger.

General Gavin told the committee that he was highly disturbed about the interpretation put on his now celebrated letter to Harper's magazine on Vietnam. He insisted it had not urged a withdrawal of American troops to coastal enclaves. On the contrary, he said, it clearly stated that our troops should retain the positions they now occupy in South Vietnam while renewed efforts are made to find a peaceful solution to the war without escalating it.

It was at this point that Senator Symington began asking General Gavin some searching questions about his precise position before a national television audience.

We are confident that a careful reading of the Gavin letter will lead any objective reader to the same conclusion that the editors of Harper's themselves placed on the communication. This is what they wrote in their foreword to it:

"In the following letter General Gavin presents the first basic criticism of the Administration's policy in Vietnam by a major military figure. As an alternative, he urges the stopping of our bombing in North Vietnam, a halt in the escalation of the ground war, WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICAN TROOPS TO DEFEND A LIMITED NUMBER OF ENCLAVES ALONG THE SOUTH VIETNAM COAST, and renewed efforts 'to find a solution through the United Nations on a conference in Geneva.' "

General Gavin's words in his letter and his oral statements before the committee struck Senator Symington as peculiar, if not contradictory, as they did a good many other people.

We do not know why the General felt compelled to make a switch in his thinking on the enclave theory, which is what he clearly did. But we do know that he should never have advocated any kind of static strategy in the first place. It takes no deep student of modern warfare to understand that this never leads to anything but defeat.

The French learned this to their profound regret in the Maginot Line and again at Dienbienphu.

Senator Symington deserves praise, not abuse, for trying to pin General Gavin down on exactly how he feels about American stragety in Vietnam.

Globe-Democrat

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JOHN R. ALABAUGH of Cumberland, Maryland, was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and then of the United Railway Operating Crafts. He was fired in 1954 from the B & O Railroad when the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers union obtained a "union shop" contract from the B & O.

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Under "union shop" you are FORCED

To join the union.

To pay dues and fees.

To pay your money to finance political activities selected for you.

To accept rules and regulations dictated by a handful of union officials.

If you believe in Freedom and Oppose Compulsion, write or contact your State legislators and request enactment of a Right to Work law.

A right to work law simply takes the COMPULSION out of unionism.

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Hanson W. Baldwin writes in The Reporter: "It is generally recognized in Washington that the military build-up which President Johnson has now launched represents in effect a short-term 'stopgap' policy. The administration hopes that increased but still limited escalation may yet bring Hanoi and Moscow to the conference table. If not, it is prepared to move swiftly into what Washington calls 'the second phase' of far greater committment. In short, the new road in Vietnam may lead a long way without a turning. It will require national patience and fortitude to a degree unmatched in any previous war the United States has fought."

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President Charles de Gaulle of France is being difficult again but his behavior has been predicted for months.

He was credited with having the idea of banishing any foreigners in command of French troops on French soil when he sought re-election as president.

Now he has done it without surprising anyone.

DeGaulle is chief executive of a second rate power. In the world's poker game of international politics, he has never held a hand of cards, only one or two cards. But DeGaulle plays these cards as if he held a full fisted powerhouse.

It is surprising how often he gets his way and how often greater powers defer to him. He is much admired for this quality.

There are many persons who think that history may prove him more right than wrong on many of the positions that he has taken.

DeGaulle himself is not aware that France is no longer a great power. He believes in the grandeur of France. It is almost a religion to him.

But DeGaulle persists in being stubborn and unfriendly to the United States. He does not appreciate this country's assistance and acts of kindness throughout the years.

Since he invites a pull out of United States military leaders, this country's response should be to accept it and strip France of both men and equipment. Both should be placed elsewhere in European countries which do appreciate our presence and the security that we offer without selfish purpose.

If DeGaulle insists on going it alone he should be given the opportunity.

He must then accept the consequences. These may be fatal for France but that's not our responsibility. It is DeGaulle's and the French people who re-elected him as their chief executive.

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Harold Jones, Missouri Delta Community Hospital administrator, says: "The most effective highway safety sign is the one on the side of the patrol car that says POLICE."

Where the State of Missouri got its revenue fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965:

Recapitulation Funds--$441,-687,172.27

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February 25, 1913 -- After ratification by the states, the sixteenth amendment is declared legal by the Secretary of State. The first amendment to the constitution to be adopted in the twentieth century, it provided for a federal income tax.

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The cherry is closely related to the almond, peach, apricot and plum. These comprise one of the most important fruit groups -- the "stone" fruits.

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AIR BREAKS

Announcement on Station WMNI, Columbus: "Buckeye Federal Savings and Loan will finance your new home with your interest in mind."

Farm Editor on a western radio station, after grumbling about the "citified" commercials he had to read, reached for another and said, "Well, now here's something we can really get our teeth into--fertilizer!"

Announcement of a church service on a Kentucky radio station: "Sermon: The Importance of Babies delivered by the Rev. Russell G. Bisnett."

TV sports announcer describing Army-Navy football game: "And Navy came onto the field with orange phosphorescent helmets on their backs and ends."

New - car commercial on KFDM-TV in Beaumont, Texas: "Monthly payments in many cases will be less than your repair bill."

A Minneapolis radio announcer reported that the victim of an auto accident suffered "at least two broken legs."

The general manager of Cleveland's station WGAR was introducing Ed Sullivan as guest of honor at a luncheon. After briefly recounting Sullivan's long career as head of a TV show, he remarked, "Ed Sullivan has the longest hour show in TV."

In Charlotte, N.C., while the TV screen showed a pistol pointed at viewers for the opening of a Western, the audio portion asked, "What do doctors recommend for headaches?"

Sheriff addressing a TV audience in a Florida town: "I will wipe out prostitution if I have to tie up all my men to do it."

On Station KABL, Oakland, Calif: "After this announcement, we will continue with our uninterrupted music."

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AND HE KNOWS

Traffic rate clerk: "Have you seen the new theater downtown? It has all the latest gadgets."

OS&D Clerk: "What's it like?"

Traffic Rate Clerk: "Boy, it's really something . . . push a button and your seat comes out; press another button and your program comes out; touch another button and the usherette comes out; touch the usherette and your teeth come out!"

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Walking isn't a lost art. How else can we get to the garage?

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Grandpa was entertaining the children with a series of hair-raising yarns in which he sometimes permitted his imagination a liberal rein. The youngsters were drinking it in.

"Yep," Grandpa went on excitedly, "there I was, right in the middle of a ring of dirty redskins. They were closing in on me, ten thousand of 'em, and every one with his arrow pointed straight at me!" Grandpa paused to catch his breath.

"What happened?" cried the children.

"Did the only thing I could do," the old man said with a chuckle, "I joined the Indians."

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The best man at a wedding never has a chance to prove it.

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A TONGUE TWISTER

Read the following sentence over several times, reading it more rapidly each time, and see the trouble your tongue will get into! Here's the sentence:

Ten tongue-tied tailors twisted tinted thistles with their teeth. Who tinted the thistles that the ten tongue-tied tailors twisted?

The squatting squaw seized and squeezed the squirming squirrell.

Pretty perky Peggie's pet Pekinese perched on the purple pillow.

The trig tricky trifler tripped over the ticket-taker's trivot.

She swished the stick the strict Swiss swiped to strike the stringy stripling.

Lively little Lillie likes lizards lots.

The buxom busybody bought the butcher's bushel baskets.

Shy Sheba shivered and shuddered when the shriveled shrew sneered and shuffled by.

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Roy L. Smith, publisher, Chicago, Ill.: "If the world in which you live is a disagreeable place, try changing yourself. If the people around you are unfriendly, try changing yourself. Try putting on a smile in the presence of those who are storming; try speaking a word of thankfulness in the conversation that is filled with complaints; try laughing a bit for the benefit of those who are down-hearted. You will be surprised how quickly the world about you changes when you change your approach to it."

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Madison Avenue's definition of death: It's God's way of telling us to slow down!

James R. Wadsworth, V. M. D., Urbana, Ill.: "Almost anyone can become a great person. It does not require fame, fortune, or high position in life. Greatness evolves from an internal metamorphosis -- and inner change and growth which results in a rebirth of the soul. To be great, one must be Christ-like. One must do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with his God."

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IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION

Rightly or wrongly, in many instances decisions of the courts have voided what seemed to be the clear intent of Congress in formulating laws.

That is the case with bank mergers. And this is no small matter. It affects the soundness and stability of the whole banking structure. For, in this dynamic economic era, mergers are often essential if the banks are to provide the best possible financial service to the American people and industry.

Briefly, the situation is this. The Bank Merger Act of 1960 placed the regulation of mergers squarely in the hands of the federal banking supervisory agencies.

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On March 29, one of the most important communist conferences in the last 48 years will be held in Moscow. It will see a final showdown between the Russians and the Chinese, with possibly a diplomatic break resulting.

Russian politicians have been traveling around the Communist world campaigning for the votes of Communist countries against the Chinese. The situation is not unlike an American election during which, at times, Khrushchev deliberately tried not to rock the international boat in favor of the American right wing. Likewise, it was decided in the Johnson administration not to do anything which would rock the boat in favor of the Chinese.

The U. N. Security debate would have put the Russians on the spot by forcing them to veto peace talks. The Chinese have been pounding them with the accusation that they are the "lackeys of American imperialism," trying to pull "American chestnuts out of the Viet Nam fire."

Ambassador Arthur Goldberg had a two-hour session with President Johnson immediately after his return from Honolulu at which time it was decided not to proceed with a U. N. showdown over Viet Nam now. This column can reveal that the above reasons were among the most important factors discussed.

DAWDLING BUREAUCRACY

Chairman Paul Rand Dixon of the Federal Trade Commission, trained by Sen. Estes Kefauver as a rootin'-tootin' trustbuster, is now following milk-and-water policies that would make Kefauver turn over in his grave.

For five years the Trade Commission has been dawdling over unfair monopoly charges brought against the Community Blood Bank in Kansas City. An FTC investigator made a thorough probe. Extensive hearings were held. It was conclusively shown that certain Kansas City pathologists, working inside certain hospitals, boycotted the blood of one blood bank in order to favor a doctor-organized blood bank.

Despite the findings of monopoly and trade discrimination, Chairman Dixon is still sitting, holding up action.

U.N.-GO-ROUND

Before the last Security Council debate, Ambassador Goldberg was urged by one State Department official to charge the Russians with pussy-footing for peace. He declined, "I'm not running for office," he told his State Department friend, "I'm trying to make peace." . . . .Henry Cabot Lodge, now ambassador in Saigon, formerly Eisenhower's ambassador to the U.N., made speech after speech before the TV cameras, verbally punching the Russians. It sounded great domestically, boosted him as a candidate for vice president on the Nixon ticket. But it didn't help the cold war thaw which Eisenhower eventually worked out with Khrushchev. . . .Here is an illustration of how rough the debate is getting between the Russians and the Chinese. The Communist paper Hung Chi recently charged: "The new leaders of the Soviet Communist Party. . .want to sow dissension in Chinese-Vietnamese relations and help the United States in its peace plot. They want to find a way out for U.S. imperialism, to enable it to occupy South Viet Nam permanently." . . .Backing up the Chinese contention that Russia is collaborating with the United States, Hung Chi cited two books published inside Russia on American - Soviet relations which, it said, transformed Presidents Johnson, Kennedy and Eisenhower into "partisans of peace instead of arch war criminals."

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

NO RIFT BEHIND SCENES

Despite Grumbling, Labor Building Ultra - Modern Electronic National Political Machine For President Johnson.

Washington, D. C.: -- There is no rift between the nation's labor chiefs and the nation's Chief Executive.

Despite their public grumbling over guideposts and all the mumbo - jumbo and the in-jargon of economic advisers on both sides, the labor movement is welding one of the most modern political machines in U. S. history to re-elect Democratic candidates and keep complete control of Congress in President Johnson's hands this fall.

The new labor vote - getting machinery will be electronicized. It will be cinematized. It will be visualized.

There is such devotion to Mr. Johnson that virtually all regional labor political training sessions now feature a filmed dialogue between the President of the U. S. and George Meany, president of the AFL-CIO.

To these conferences come congressmen to answer the questions of the trainees -- most of them top and second echelon labor leaders recruited by the famous COPE -- Committee on Political Education.

These parleys also are shown slides to perfect block-by-block techniques of vote - getting, dramatizations of the accomplishments of the Congress and most of all the wizardry of electronic campaigning.

This electronic gadgetry will be the key to future labor electioneering. The hard-driving, round-the-clock COPE director, Al Barkan, is responsible for this innovation which will revolutionize the politics of the future.

While the national labor leaders get their grumbling over 14-B into the headlines, he's setting up his electronic data processing for the byways of the land, the wards and precincts and blocks of the big cities.

This computerized campaigning will be at the disposal of the 51 liberal - labor freshman congressmen who rode in on the Johnsonian coattails. It will be used to elect senators, despite the current civic war with the Democrats. And it will be thrown in behind literally thousands of city and state candidates.

Obviously the outward complaints over the failure to get the 14-B repealer through merely are part of a pressure game to warn the Democrats that they must now produce a higher national minimum wage; federalize the unemployment insurance system as a step towards permanent income for unfortunate jobless; and extend the coverage of present minimum wage laws to some eight million more persons.

But it would be folly for the labor movement to abandon the Democratic coalition, one of the top leaders of COPE's administrative board told his colleagues during the AFL-CIO midwinter sessions in Bal Harbour, Fla.

They would leave themselves open to retaliation at the very moment when the National Right-to-Work Committee is planning a drive to outlaw political spending by labor. The Supreme Court has ruled that unions must return to members who object to labor's political action that part of their dues money used for such purposes.

So Mr. Barkan and his aides now are calling on unions in three areas for copies of their membership lists. These will get top security protection so they don't leak out. The regions are the Baltimore - Washington, D. C., metropolitan districts; the entire state of Pennsylvania, and the nine northern counties of California.

These names will be put on electronic tape. They will be "programmed" so that unions' computers will tell the labor stategists in a few minutes which of the members are registered; the political status of their families; their voting addresses by district and precinct.

From such tapes will come more than fast selective mailings. Automatically, block lists of union members will be quickly prepared for canvassing; delinquents in COPE dollar-per-member drives will easily be picked out; route lists will be prepared for drivers to rush to polls. Walk sheets will be swiftly run off to use by COPE precinct workers on election day.

But 1966 will be prelude. The Baltimore - Washington, D. C., operation will become the pattern for city drives. The Pennsylvania operation will become the standard for state campaigns. And the nine - county California experiment will show how regions can be electronicized and galvanized.

By 1968 the entire COPE apparatus may well be put on a data processing basis -- to reelect President Johnson and a liberal - labor Congress.

Pay no heed to the grumbling. The coalition still is tight.

The Women's Page

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Rolf Hochhuth's "The Deputy" attacked one of the religious personalities of the twentieth century. The dust that followed obscured a major issue. Was it really the wisest of actions to write a concordat with a political power that thrived on discrimination? All this must be seen in the context of the times.

Yet, it would be dishonest to refuse to look at it at all. If seeing demands a change, let us not be too proud to bend. If reading and listening of the secular man invites the worth of involvement and the careful rethinking of our message, then let us begin.

And by the way, there are many Christians who "will have nothing to do with God."

Questions? Write: Rev. T. Staed, 217 West Center Street, Sikeston, Missouri.

Spelling Team Wins Round

MATTHEWS--The sixth grade spelling team of Matthews R-V school won the initial round in the KFVS television spelling bee held at Cape Girardeau Friday. The team, composed of Jeanie Cantrell, Michael Whitlock, Rebecca Stroud, Brian Tippett, Diane McMillen, and alternate, Sandra Clark, was accompanied by Mrs. Bernice Stafford and Troy Tippett.

Egg Prices Are Down

By SALLY RYAN

NEW YORK AP -- Egg prices dropped this week.

They were the first to feel the effect of relaxation of Roman Catholic Church dietary regulations. Dealers said the change might cut consumption of eggs.

Fish sales also may be cut, but not as much as if Roman Catholics could eat meat on Friday.

The fish industry, however, is preparing a promotion plan to get people to eat more fish.

One fish, canned red salmon, is listed as a best buy this week, along with broilers and turkeys.

Beef roasts and steaks are advertised at special prices in some areas. But pork still is relatively high with a limited supply.

Prices of snap beans, limas, corn, peaches, tuna fish and catsup are higher. So is honey.

Prices of canned pears and frozen peas are moving lower, inspiring specials in the nation's markets.

Peanuts, peanut butter, onions and prunes also are plentiful.

Cabbage, carrots, celery, lettuce, peppers, squash, sweet potatoes and tomatoes offer good buys, along with avocados, apples and bananas.

Social Calender

THURSDAY

Sikeston Chapter No. 137, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet in regular session Thursday, Feb. 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Temple. A special program will be presented by the worthy patron and the associate patron. All members are urged to attend.

THURSDAY

American Legion Post 114 will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24 at the Legion Hall.

THURSDAY

The Entre Nous Club will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24, with Mrs. Walter Rayburn, 310 Sikes.

SATURDAY

The ways and means committee of the Morley Chapter No. 342, Order of Eastern Star, will sponsor a stew and chili day Saturday, Feb. 26, in the dining room of the Masonic Temple in Morley. Serving will begin at 11 a.m. and continue throughout the day.

SATURDAY

The Job's Daughters will meet at 7:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, at the Masonic Temple for a trip to Memphis.

SATURDAY

The Happy Hoofers Square dance club will meet at 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, at the Airport school. All square dancers are welcome.

SUNDAY

Auditions for children for the Little Theatre production, "The King and I", will be at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 27, at the junior high school music room.

MONDAY

The Gleaners Class of the First Baptist church will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28, at the church.

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Adult auditions for parts in the Little Theatre production, "The King And I" will be at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28, and Tuesday, March 1, in the music room of junior high school.

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The Junior Woman's Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28, in the community room of Security National Bank.

TUESDAY

The Woman's Club will sponsor a benefit card party in the community room of Security National Bank, Tuesday, March 1. Sessions begin at 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. The public is invited.

TUESDAY

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist church will meet at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 1, at the church.

Competitive shooting attracts more participants on a world basis than any other sporting activity except track and other field sports.

matter of fact

The outstanding American sire of thoroughbred race horses during the 20th century has been Bull Lea. This stallion sired more than 816 starters, who earned more than $10,500,000, an average of over $13,000 per runner per year. The greatest thoroughbred sire ever recorded was the unbeaten St. Simon, whose offspring raced in Great Britain from 1889 to 1912. Their earning power was almost five times the average expectancy.

Rev. James Kratz

Missionaries To Speak Sunday

The Rev. and Mrs. James Kratz, missionaries to Brazil, South America, are on furlough in the United States and will speak Sunday at the First Church of the Nazarene, Scott and Trotter streets, at 2 :30 p.m.

This is their first furlough since being assigned to Brazil in 1960 by the department of world missions, Church of the Nazarene.

Their first assignment was to Campinas for language study. While there Rev. Kratz was the youth director for the Campinas Church of the Nazarene. It was also during this time that Rev. Kratz, who is an accomplished organist, produced several records of organ music through the Central Audio - Visual Evangelical located in Campinas. In 1962 he was placed as pastor of the Sao Paulo Church of the Nazarene and began teaching in the Nazarene Bible school located there. In 1964 he began pastoring the Campinas Central Church of the Nazarene and continued his teaching positions. During this time he was also serving as the district treasurer.

The missionary service will feature the work of the Church of the Nazarene in Brazil. The challenge of an open field, the need for chapels and the value of Christian literature will be emphasized.

Rev. Kratz was born in Illinois. He received his bachelor of arts degree from Cascade College, Portland, Oregon in 1949 with a major in religion and music. He later attended the Nazarene Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Missouri. Prior to his appointment overseas Rev. Kratz served as a pastor on the Oregon - Pacific District, Church of the Nazarene for eleven years.

Rev. and Mrs. Kratz with the youngest of their three boys will be living in Oregon during their furlough year.

Doctor Ordered Savings Bonds

Dr. Leo J. Kerne, Director of the Charity Hospital of Louisiana, New Orleans, has a long and profitable acquaintance with the U. S. Savings Bonds program which is celebrating its 25th Anniversary this year.

Dr. Kerne started buying bonds in 1941 and has been buying them ever since. He started out at a $50-a-month pace, gradually increasing his purchases as his practice grew and switched to Payroll Savings in 1956.

With his accumulation of bonds, Dr. Kerne has been able to send his three oldest daughters to college and to build a supplemental retirement fund.

His comment — "Savings Bonds have provided a backlog of personal security for myself and my family and I feel that an important part in assuring our Nation's safety and economic stability and growth is played by everyone who purchases Savings Bonds."

Hospital Notes

Patients Admitted to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital February 24, 1966

Debbie Smith, Charleston
David Berry, Essex
Robert Green, Sikeston
Alice Harris, Charleston
Charles Coffer, Charleston
Cora Bennett, East Prairie
Carl Cimplins, East Prairie
J. B. Cooper, East Prairie
Willie Brock, Lilbourn
Thomas Wilson, East Prairie
Karen Sparks, Morehouse
Bettye Patton, Sikeston
Bess Boone, Charleston

Patients Dismissed Feb. 24

Clara Ralph, Sikeston
James Brannon, Sikeston
Lena Moore, Canalou
Lucille Potashnick, Sikeston
Larry Gady, Sikeston
Cyd Mitchell, Sikeston
Patricia Phillips, Sikeston
Helen Coats, Sikeston
Baby Girl Harris, Sikeston
Agnes McGee, Matthews
Ruth Limbough, Sikeston
Goldie Cook, Sikeston
Mrs. Louise Fitzgerald and Baby Girl, Wyatt
Sheila Zilafro, Matthews
Lucy Forrest, Sikeston
Louann King, Sikeston

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Elmer Edwards, Mrs. Annie Fairless, Carl Needham, all of Dexter, and Mrs. Gladys Allen of Essex have been admitted to Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Herman Mills of Dexter has been released from Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Mrs. Bessie Almond of Bloomfield has been admitted to Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Noah Gibson of Wyatt, Miss Lou Ann Allen and Mrs. Lula Kirkpatrick, both of East Prairie, have been discharged from St. Mary's Hospital in Cairo, Ill.

Claude Drennan and Alta Minor, both of Charleston, Robert Florence of Bertrand and Cecil Taylor of East Prairie have been admitted to St. Mary's Hospital in Cairo, Ill.

BARBS

BY WALTER C. PARKES

Funny how some friends become mere acquaintances right after you lose your money.

An inferiority complex makes us glad others don't see us as we see ourselves.

Auto clubs offer easy traffic safety courses for pedestrians.

Up to now they had to learn the hard way.

This year, southern folk learned that Jack Frost is no northern myth.

World Day of Prayer Service Planned Tonight

The Ethel Mae missionary society of the Second General Baptist church is sponsoring a special World Day of Prayer service at 7 p.m. tonight.

Assisting with program and participating will be the First General Baptist church, Little Vine General Baptist church and the Morehouse General Baptist church.

A girls trio from Poplar Bluff will be featured.

The Rev. Alpha Warren, Poplar Bluff, will be the guest speaker.

The public is invited.

World Day of Prayer Observed Today

MOREHOUSE -- The World Day of Pray was observed at the Rauch-Spence Memorial Methodist church today at 1:30 p.m.

Participating were Mrs. E. J. Kerr and the pastor of the Pentecostal church and the Rev. Nathaniel Lewis, who gave the invocation. Other leaders were the Rev. Terah Perry, pastor of the Assembly of God church, Mrs. Charles Albright, song leader; Mrs. William Dillion, Mrs. Nelson Gruen, Mrs. A. W. Summers, and Mrs. Frank Kesler. The school children participated.

Matthews 4-H Club Sees Film

MATTHEWS -- The Matthews 4-H Club met at the community center Thursday, Feb. 17. The meeting was opened with pledges to the American Flag and the 4-H Flag led by Wayne Kem and Paul Lomax. Charles Conrad presided during the business session when plans were made to attend the 4-H charter night at New Madrid on March 4.

Allen Carter of the New Madrid County Library showed a film "Reptiles". Members found it to be educational as it showed the different kinds of snakes, identifying the ones that were poisonous and the ones that were not harmful and helped to keep in balance the wild life in the animal kingdom.

Refreshments were served and games were played.

QUICK QUIZ

Q—What is the difference in weight of a man's heart compared to a woman's.

A—A man's heart weighs around 11 ounces, a woman's 9 ounces.

Q—What lichen may have been the manna mentioned in the Bible?

A—Cup moss, which is eaten by natives of middle Asia.

Woman of the Year Plans Being Completed

A panel of high school seniors, members of the Natonal Forensic League, presented the program to the Business and Professional Woman's Club Wednesday night at the Rustic Rock. The discussion was on Viet Nam. The program was provided by the World Affairs committee, Mrs. Mildred Robinson, Mrs. Bill Storey, Mrs. Edna Husband and Mrs. Nell McReynolds.

The panel was composed of Deidre Harber, leader; Phil Barkett, Dean Childers, Eugene Hitt, Dale Morris, Richard Montgomery, and John Pasaka. A question and answer period followed the discussion.

Mrs. Walter Powell, president, conducted a business meeting. Mrs. W. U. Myers, chairman of the Woman of the Year banquet central committee, reminded members that Dr. Kenneth McFarland will be the speaker at the banquet March 10 at the Armory and that he is vitally interested in selling America to Americans. She also said that he is a active foe of Communism.

Mrs. Powell read a letter from the Chamber of Commerce inviting the club to submit a candidate for the Man of the Year award. The committee appointed to select a candidate is Mrs. Albert Peters, Jr. Mrs. Rovena Hillsman, Mrs. Bill Storey and Mrs. Albert L. Marks.

A nominating committee to select a slate of officers for 1966-1967 was also appointed. Members of this committee are Miss Electa O'Hara, Miss Almaretta Sidwell, Mrs. Lorene Limbaugh, Mrs. C. R. Foster and Mrs. Melfred Taylor.

Three new members were voted into the club. They are Mrs. Bob Hatley, Mrs. Donald Miller and Mrs. W. C. Reid.

The club voted to designate $28 to the loan closet to be applied on a indebtedness which was incurred to replenish the supply of wheel chairs, hospital beds and appliances used by the handicapped.

Members who plan to attend the Kansas City conference in April were urged to register with the president in order for the club to plan to charter a bus. Thirty - nine members are needed to get a round trip for $18 per person.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Paul DuSablon, Mrs. W. B. Cunningham, Miss Mary Ann Meyer and Mrs. Harold Rogers.

The tables were decorated with American flags and red and white tapers. Large and miniature world globes appointed the tables and red, white and blue runners decorated the centers of the tables. Mrs. Peters gave the club collect and Mrs. Robert Black gave the emblem benediction.

Mrs. Powell and Mrs. Myers will appear on the Channel 12 "Breakfast Show" on KFVS television Monday to be interviewed and to discuss the Woman of the Year banquet.

Mrs. Fred Tope, Jr., ticket sales chairman, said that her ticket team captains had reported that sales are going well and she urged members to fill ticket orders immediately.

Mrs. R. Clinton Scott reported for Mrs. Carl Campbell that the hospitality committee will meet for a briefing session at the armory at 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 9. All other members were asked to be present to assist with final preparations.

"Just Arrived"

LONGSTREET

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Longstreet are the parents of a baby boy born Feb. 24 at the Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Less than 2 per cent of the 10,000 inmates of Knox County (Tennessee) jail had ever owned fishing or hunting licenses, and less than 1 per cent of the FBI's "most wanted" criminals over the past 10 years had been Boy Scouts.

WRINKLES

by Marie Davant

NEW YORK — Chemical science has found a white substance made with quicksilver that works wonders on wrinkled, roughened face and hands. Use it one time and it is entirely possible you will see improvement next morning. In a few days dry-skin wrinkles start to vanish. Many of the small ones around the eyes and mouth have already disappeared. But that is not all! "Old-Age" (weathered) brown spots on hands and arms — brown "age" darkness on surface of face and neck fades away! Rich oils lubricate pores so blackheads can slip out without squeezing. Surface pimples and blemishes, and scars, outwardly caused, dry up or become less noticeable! But don't take my word for it. Make a 6-day test without risking one penny. Just get a jar of Peacock's Imperial Creme at your favorite department or drug store. Use this thrilling cream for 6 days and if you are not delighted with results, full price will be refunded. No questions asked. Peacock's Imperial Creme can work wonders for wrinkles, lines, brown spots and other weathered blemishes. You may obtain Imperial Creme for $2.00 from Shy's Drug. Clip this out.

Rev. Cantrell To Be Guest Speaker Sunday

The Rev. Robert Cantrell, the new pastor of the Morley Church of God, will be speaking in both worship services of the Tanner Street Church of God Sunday.

The Rev. Vernon Guttenfelder will be moving to Sikeston next week from Vancouver, Wash. to assume the pastoral leadership of the local church.

Horses were hunted widely for food long before they became domesticated about 3000 B.C. Mounted invaders from the north brought them into the valleys of the Tigris and Euphrates as early as 2000 B.C. They had reached China well before 1500 B.C. They were kept for flesh as well as for riding purposes; earlier they had been used for chariots and other transport.

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Rolf Hochhuth's "The Deputy" attacked one of the religious personalities of the twentieth century. The dust that followed obscured a major issue. Was it really the wisest of actions to write a concordat with a political power that thrived on discrimination? All this must be seen in the context of the times.

Yet, it would be dishonest to refuse to look at it at all. If seeing demands a change, let us not be too proud to bend. If reading and listening of the secular man invites the worth of involvement and the careful rethinking of our message, then let us begin.

And by the way, there are many Christians who "will have nothing to do with God."

Questions? Write: Rev. T. Staed, 217 West Center Street, Sikeston, Missouri.

Spelling Team Wins Round

MATTHEWS--The sixth grade spelling team of Matthews R-V school won the initial round in the KFVS television spelling bee held at Cape Girardeau Friday. The team, composed of Jeanie Cantrell, Michael Whitlock, Rebecca Stroud, Brian Tippett, Diane McMillen, and alternate, Sandra Clark, was accompanied by Mrs. Bernice Stafford and Troy Tippett.

Egg Prices Are Down

By SALLY RYAN

NEW YORK AP -- Egg prices dropped this week.

They were the first to feel the effect of relaxation of Roman Catholic Church dietary regulations. Dealers said the change might cut consumption of eggs.

Fish sales also may be cut, but not as much as if Roman Catholics could eat meat on Friday.

The fish industry, however, is preparing a promotion plan to get people to eat more fish.

One fish, canned red salmon, is listed as a best buy this week, along with broilers and turkeys.

Beef roasts and steaks are advertised at special prices in some areas. But pork still is relatively high with a limited supply.

Prices of snap beans, limas, corn, peaches, tuna fish and catsup are higher. So is honey.

Prices of canned pears and frozen peas are moving lower, inspiring specials in the nation's markets.

Peanuts, peanut butter, onions and prunes also are plentiful.

Cabbage, carrots, celery, lettuce, pappers, squash, sweet potatoes and tomatoes offer good buys, along with avocados, apples and bananas.

Social Calender

THURSDAY

Sikeston Chapter No. 137, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet in regular session Thursday, Feb. 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Temple. A special program will be presented by the worthy patron and the associate patron. All members are urged to attend.

THURSDAY

American Legion Post 114 will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24 at the Legion Hall.

THURSDAY

The Entre Nous Club will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24, with Mrs. Walter Rayburn, 310 Sikes.

SATURDAY

The ways and means committee of the Morley Chapter No. 342, Order of Eastern Star, will sponsor a stew and chili day Saturday, Feb. 26, in the dining room of the Masonic Temple in Morley. Serving will begin at 11 a.m. and continue throughout the day.

SATURDAY

The Job's Daughters will meet at 7:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, at the Masonic Temple for a trip to Memphis.

SATURDAY

The Happy Hoofers Square dance club will meet at 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, at the Airport school. All square dancers are welcome.

SUNDAY

Auditions for children for the Little Theatre production, "The King and I", will be at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 27, at the junior high school music room.

MONDAY

The Gleaners Class of the First Baptist church will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28, at the church.

MONDAY

Adult auditions for parts in the Little Theatre production, "The King And I" will be at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28, and Tuesday, March 1, in the music room of junior high school.

MONDAY

The Junior Woman's Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28, in the community room of Security National Bank.

TUESDAY

The Woman's Club will sponsor a benefit card party in the community room of Security National Bank, Tuesday, March 1. Sessions begin at 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. The public is invited.

TUESDAY

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist church will meet at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 1, at the church.

Competitive shooting attracts more participants on a world basis than any other sporting activity except track and other field sports.

Rev. James Kratz

Missionaries To Speak Sunday

The Rev. and Mrs. James Kratz, missionaries to Brazil, South America, are on furlough in the United States and will speak Sunday at the First Church of the Nazarene, Scott and Trotter streets, at 2 :30 p.m.

This is their first furlough since being assigned to Brazil in 1960 by the department of world missions, Church of the Nazarene.

Their first assignment was to Campinas for language study. While there Rev. Kratz was the youth director for the Campinas Church of the Nazarene. It was also during this time that Rev. Kratz, who is an accomplished organist, produced several records of organ music through the Central Audio - Visual Evangelical located in Campinas. In 1962 he was placed as pastor of the Sao Paulo Church of the Nazarene and began teaching in the Nazarene Bible school located there. In 1964 he began pastoring the Campinas Central Church of the Nazarene and continued his teaching positions. During this time he was also serving as the district treasurer.

The missionary service will feature the work of the Church of the Nazarene in Brazil. The challenge of an open field, the need for chapels and the value of Christian literature will be emphasized.

Rev. Kratz was born in Illinois. He received his bachelor of arts degree from Cascade College, Portland, Oregon in 1949 with a major in religion and music. He later attended the Nazarene Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Missouri. Prior to his appointment overseas Rev. Kratz served as a pastor on the Oregon - Pacific District, Church of the Nazarene for eleven years.

Rev. and Mrs. Kratz with the youngest of their three boys will be living in Oregon during their furlough year.

Doctor Ordered Savings Bonds

Dr. Leo J. Kerne, Director of the Charity Hospital of Louisiana, New Orleans, has a long and profitable acquaintance with the U. S. Savings Bonds program which is celebrating its 25th Anniversary this year.

Dr. Kerne started buying bonds in 1941 and has been buying them ever since. He started out at a $50-a-month pace, gradually increasing his purchases as his practice grew and switched to Payroll Savings in 1956.

With his accumulation of bonds, Dr. Kerne has been able to send his three oldest daughters to college and to build a supplemental retirement fund.

His comment -- "Savings Bonds have provided a backlog of personal security for myself and my family and I feel that an important part in assuring our Nation's safety and economic stability and growth is played by everyone who purchases Savings Bonds."

Hospital Notes

Patients Admitted to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital February 24, 1966

Debbie Smith, Charleston
David Berry, Essex
Robert Green, Sikeston
Alice Harris, Charleston
Charles Coffer, Charleston
Cora Bennett, East Prairie
Carl Cimplins, East Prairie
J. B. Cooper, East Prairie
Willie Brock, Lilbourn
Thomas Wilson, East Prairie
Karen Sparks, Morehouse
Bettye Patton, Sikeston
Bess Boone, Charleston

Patients Dismissed Feb. 24

Clara Ralph, Sikeston
James Brannon, Sikeston
Lena Moore, Canalou
Lucille Potashnick, Sikeston
Larry Gady, Sikeston
Cyd Mitchell, Sikeston
Patricia Phillips, Sikeston
Helen Coats, Sikeston
Baby Girl Harris, Sikeston
Agnes McGee, Matthews
Ruth Limbough, Sikeston
Goldie Cook, Sikeston
Mrs. Louise Fitzgerald and Baby Girl, Wyatt
Sheila Zilafro, Matthews
Lucy Forrest, Sikeston
Louann King, Sikeston

Mrs. Carolyn Burnett of Dexter has been admitted to Poplar Bluff Hospital.

Mrs. Carolyn Burnett and Mrs. Margaret Persfull, both of Dexter, have been dismissed from Poplar Bluff Hospital.

Elmer Edwards, Mrs. Annie Fairless, Carl Needham, all of Dexter, and Mrs. Gladys Allen of Essex have been admitted to Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Herman Mills of Dexter has been released from Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Mrs. Bessie Almond of Bloomfield has been admitted to Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Noah Gibson of Wyatt, Miss Lou Ann Allen and Mrs. Lula Kirkpatrick, both of East Prairie, have been discharged from St. Mary's Hospital in Cairo, Ill.

Claude Drennan and Alta Minor, both of Charleston, Robert Florence of Bertrand and Cecil Taylor of East Prairie have been admitted to St. Mary's Hospital in Cairo, Ill.

BARBS

BY WALTER C. PARKES

Funny how some friends become mere acquaintances right after you lose your money.

An inferiority complex makes us glad others don't see us as we see ourselves.

Auto clubs offer easy traffic safety courses for pedestrians.

Up to now they had to learn the hard way.

This year, southern folk learned that Jack Frost is no northern myth.

World Day of Prayer Service Planned Tonight

The Ethel Mae missionary society of the Second General Baptist church is sponsoring a special World Day of Prayer service at 7 p.m. tonight.

Assisting with program and participating will be the First General Baptist church, Little Vine General Baptist church and the Morehouse General Baptist church.

A girls trio from Poplar Bluff will be featured.

The Rev. Alpha Warren, Poplar Bluff, will be the guest speaker.

The public is invited.

World Day of Prayer Observed Today

MOREHOUSE -- The World Day of Pray was observed at the Rauch-Spence Memorial Methodist church today at 1:30 p.m.

Participating were Mrs. E. J. Kerr and the pastor of the Pentecostal church and the Rev. Nathaniel Lewis, who gave the invocation. Other leaders were the Rev. Terah Perry, pastor of the Assembly of God church, Mrs. Charles Albright, song leader; Mrs. William Dillion, Mrs. Nelson Gruen, Mrs. A. W. Summers, and Mrs. Frank Kesler. The school children participated.

Matthews 4-H Club Sees Film

MATTHEWS -- The Matthews 4-H Club met at the community center Thursday, Feb. 17. The meeting was opened with pledges to the American Flag and the 4-H Flag led by Wayne Kem and Paul Lomax. Charles Conrad presided during the business session when plans were made to attend the 4-H charter night at New Madrid on March 4.

Allen Carter of the New Madrid County Library showed a film "Reptiles". Members found it to be educational as it showed the different kinds of snakes, identifying the ones that were poisonous and the ones that were not harmful and helped to keep in balance the wild life in the animal kingdom.

Refreshments were served and games were played.

QUICK QUIZ

Q—What is the difference in weight of a man's heart compared to a woman's.

A—A man's heart weighs around 11 ounces, a woman's 9 ounces.

Q—What lichen may have been the manna mentioned in the Bible?

A—Cup moss, which is eaten by natives of middle Asia.

Woman of the Year Plans Being Completed

A panel of high school seniors, members of the Natonal Forensic League, presented the program to the Business and Professional Woman's Club Wednesday night at the Rustic Rock. The discussion was on Viet Nam. The program was provided by the World Affairs committee, Mrs. Mildred Robinson, Mrs. Bill Storey, Mrs. Edna Husband and Mrs. Nell McReynolds.

The panel was composed of Deidre Harber, leader; Phil Barkett, Dean Childers, Eugene Hitt, Dale Morris, Richard Montgomery, and John Pasaka. A question and answer period followed the discussion.

Mrs. Walter Powell, president, conducted a business meeting. Mrs. W. U. Myers, chairman of the Woman of the Year banquet central committee, reminded members that Dr. Kenneth McFarland will be the speaker at the banquet March 10 at the Armory and that he is vitally interested in selling America to Americans. She also said that he is a active foe of Communism.

Mrs. Powell read a letter from the Chamber of Commerce inviting the club to submit a candidate for the Man of the Year award. The committee appointed to select a candidate is Mrs. Albert Peters, Jr. Mrs. Rovena Hillsman, Mrs. Bill Storey and Mrs. Albert L. Marks.

A nominating committee to select a slate of officers for 1966-1967 was also appointed. Members of this committee are Miss Electa O'Hara, Miss Almaretta Sidwell, Mrs. Lorene Limbaugh, Mrs. C. R. Foster and Mrs. Melfred Taylor.

Three new members were voted into the club. They are Mrs. Bob Hatley, Mrs. Donald Miller and Mrs. W. C. Reid.

The club voted to designate $28 to the loan closet to be applied on a indebtedness which was incurred to replenish the supply of wheel chairs, hospital beds and appliances used by the handicapped.

Members who plan to attend the Kansas City conference in April were urged to register with the president in order for the club to plan to charter a bus. Thirty - nine members are needed to get a round trip for $18 per person.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Paul DuSablon, Mrs. W. B. Cunningham, Miss Mary Ann Meyer and Mrs. Harold Rogers.

The tables were decorated with American flags and red and white tapers. Large and miniature world globes appointed the tables and red, white and blue runners decorated the centers of the tables. Mrs. Peters gave the club collect and Mrs. Robert Black gave the emblem benediction.

Mrs. Powell and Mrs. Myers will appear on the Channel 12 "Breakfast Show" on KFVS television Monday to be interviewed and to discuss the Woman of the Year banquet.

Mrs. Fred Tope, Jr., ticket sales chairman, said that her ticket team captains had reported that sales are going well and she urged members to fill ticket orders immediately.

Mrs. R. Clinton Scott reported for Mrs. Carl Campbell that the hospitality committee will meet for a briefing session at the armory at 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 9. All other members were asked to be present to assist with final preparations.

"Just Arrived"

LONGSTREET

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Longstreet are the parents of a baby boy born Feb. 24 at the Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Less than 2 per cent of the 10,000 inmates of Knox County (Tennessee) jail had ever owned fishing or hunting licenses, and less than 1 per cent of the FBI's "most wanted" criminals over the past 10 years had been Boy Scouts.

WRINKLES

by Marie Davant

NEW YORK: Chemical science has found a white substance made with quicksilver that works wonders on wrinkled, roughened face and hands. Use it one time and it is entirely possible you will see improvement next morning. In a few days dry-skin wrinkles start to vanish. Many of the small ones around the eyes and mouth have already disappeared. But that is not all! "Old-Age" (weathered) brown spots on hands and arms, brown "age" darkness on surface of face and neck fades away! Rich oils lubricate pores so blackheads can slip out without squeezing. Surface pimples and blemishes, and scars, outwardly caused, dry up or become less noticeable! But don't take my word for it. Make a 6-day test without risking one penny. Just get a jar of Peacock's Imperial Creme at your favorite department or drug store. Use this thrilling cream for 6 days and if you are not delighted with results, full price will be refunded. No questions asked. Peacock's Imperial Creme can work wonders for wrinkles, lines, brown spots and other weathered blemishes. You may obtain Imperial Creme for $2.00 from Shy's Drug. Clip this out.

matter of fact

The outstanding American sire of thoroughbred race horses during the 20th century has been Bull Lea. This stallion sired more than 816 starters, who earned more than $10,500,000, an average of over $13,000 per runner per year. The greatest thoroughbred sire ever recorded was the unbeaten St. Simon, whose offspring raced in Great Britain from 1889 to 1912. Their earning power was almost five times the average expectancy.

Rev. Cantrell To Be Guest Speaker Sunday

The Rev. Robert Cantrell, the new pastor of the Morley Church of God, will be speaking in both worship services of the Tanner Street Church of God Sunday.

The Rev. Vernon Guttenfelder will be moving to Sikeston next week from Vancouver, Wash. to assume the pastoral leadership of the local church.

Horses were hunted widely for food long before they became domesticated about 3000 B.C. Mounted invaders from the north brought them into the valleys of the Tigris and Euphrates as early as 2000 B.C. They had reached China well before 1500 B.C. They were kept for flesh as well as for riding purposes; earlier they had been used for chariots and other transport.

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Southland and Lilbourn Move Into Semi-Finals

HAYTI -- Southland rang up its second upset of the class "M" tournament here last night as they defeated the host school Hayti North 60-55. And in the second game of the evening third seeded Lilbourn eked past North Pemiscot 50-45.

In the first game of the evening Southland jumped out to an early lead of 17-9 and held the lead throughout the game, as Hayti was never able to regain their winning stride.

Southland paced by Markin and Staggs with 19 and 12 points respectively beat the favored Hayti five at their own game.

Hayti was paced by four players hitting in doube figures with Watkins and Johnson scoring 12 points each and Joy and Gardner chipping in with 11 each.

In the second game of the evening Lilbourn playing control ball and fine defense contained the Mustangs from North Pemiscot to only 14 points the entire first half while scoring 22 points the first half to take the lead. Lilbourn let up the second half and almost met defeat as the Mustangs outscored Lilbourn 31-28 the last half.

Lilbourn led by Tommy Gee with 19 points and 14 rebounds and Lynn Long with nine points won a chance at the championship. North Pemiscot was paced by White and Maronay with 11 points each.

Southland (60)				
Markin	8	3	3	19
Staggs	5	2	4	12
Dickerson	2	2	3	6
Johnson	4	1	2	9
Smith	4	0	2	8
Patty	1	4	2	6
Totals	24	12	16	60
Hayti North (55)				
Newsom	4	1	5	9
Watkins	3	6	5	12
Joy	5	1	3	11
Johnson	5	2	3	12
Haynes	0	0	2	0
Gardner	4	3	3	11
Totals	21	13	21	55
Score by quarters				
Southland	17	15	9	19
Hayti North	9	13	12	21
Lilbourn (50)				
Gee	7	5	5	19
Bodine	3	0	5	6
Bowen	2	2	1	6
Long	3	3	4	9
Blankenship	0	2	4	2
Baughman	3	2	2	8
Haralson	0	0	1	0
Totals	18	14	22	50
N. Pemiscot (45)				
Atnip	2	1	2	5
Allen	1	0	1	2
Howell	1	7	3	9
Edmonds	0	2	1	2
Miller	1	3	5	5
White	4	3	2	11
Maronay	4	3	3	11
Totals	13	19	17	45
Score by quarters				
Lilbourn	8	14	17	11
N. Pemiscot	5	9	15	16

Notre Dame Hands Woodland 84-62 Defeat, and Illmo Runs Past Patton 90-70 In 'M' Tourney

SCOTT CITY -- Notre Dame and Illmo-Scott City were victorious here last night in quarterfinal play of the class "M" regional tournament.

Notre Dame beat Woodland of Lutesville 84-62 in what was the 17th win for the Bulldogs from Notre Dame.

Notre Dame had little trouble as they raced to a first quarter lead of 23-14, and established a 41-23 half time edge and went on to win with the reserves playing the last half.

Poston and Compas combined for a total of 41 points with Poston collecting 25 points and Compas 16 to lead the Bulldogs to the win.

Hahs led Woodland scorers with 21 points and was the team captain from the field.

Notre Dame now will move into the Semi-Finals which will be played tonight with Oran and East Prairie playing at 7 and being followed by the game between Notre Dame and Illmo-Scott City.

In the second game of the evening Illmo-Scott City posted a 90-70 win.

After a close first half with neither team establishing more than a six point lead, Scott City came out the second half after a good pep talk by coach Cookson, and tallied a 56 point second half while holding Patton to 35.

Illmo was led by Crabtree with 20 points and was followed by McSwain and Payne with 18 points each.

Davis and Revelle led Patton scorers with 14 points each.

Notre Dame (84)				
Flaker	5	1	4	11
Compas	6	4	0	16
Wolfers	7	0	2	14
Posten	11	3	3	25
Rovert	3	2	4	8
Buchek	2	1	1	5
Jobe	0	0	1	0
Ziegler	2	0	4	4
Scott	0	0	1	0
Kochler	0	1	0	1
Totals	26	12	20	84
Woodland (62)				
Crader	3	4	2	10
Hahs	10	1	4	21
Crites	3	1	4	7
Filer	3	4	4	10
Long	1	12	3	14
Totals	20	22	17	62
Score by quarters:				
Notre Dame	23	18	22	21
Woodland	14	9	16	23

Illmo-Scott City (90)

Blattel	6	1	2	13
Payne	7	4	2	18
Wadlington	4	2	3	10
Brant	5	1	2	11
Crabtree	10	0	1	20
McSwain	9	0	3	18
Totals	41	8	13	90
Patton (70)				
Davis	2	10	1	14
Wilfong	6	0	3	12
Mungle	4	1	1	9
Hardo	1	0	0	2
Revell	6	2	3	14
Bailey	5	0	0	10
Waller	2	1	2	5
Brotherton	1	2	1	4
Totals	27	16	11	70
Score by quarters:				
Illmo	16	18	25	31
Patton	20	15	12	23

Cheyney State, running its unbeaten string to 24 with a pair of victories, has zoomed to the top of The Associated Press small-college basketball rankings.

The Wolves from Pennsylvania took over first place from the Southern Illinois Salukis, who had led the nationwide poll for seven straight weeks. The Salukis dropped all the way to fourth after taking their fifth loss of the season, 85-83 to Indiana State Saturday night.

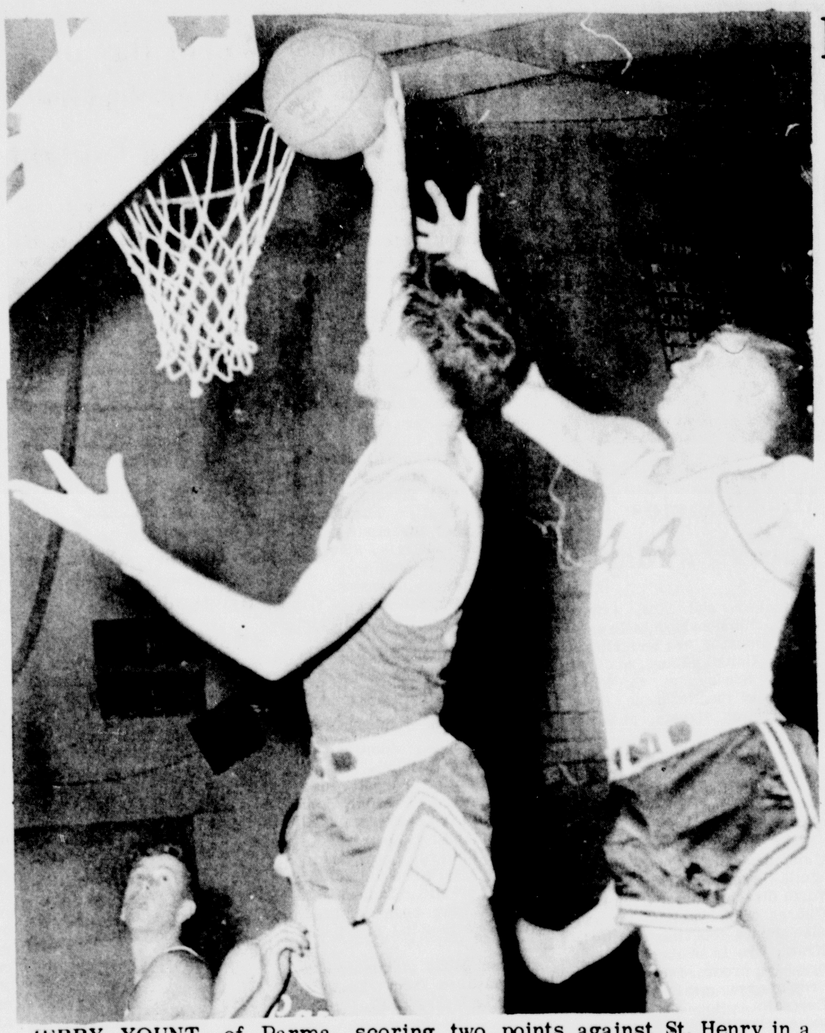
Five of the 14 experts on A P's panel put Cheyney first on their ballots. Runner-up North Dakota, 20-3, got three firsts; Grambling, 19-3, received one and stayed in third, and two went to Southern Illinois.

Sixth-ranked Northern Michigan, Abilene Christian and Colorado State College collected the three other firsts.

Indiana State climbed from ninth to fifth with its victory over Southern Illinois, North Michigan fell one spot to sixth, Tennessee State and Evansville remained seventh and eighth, Seattle Pacific moved up one place to ninth and Youngstown, beaten twice last week, went from sixth to 10th.

The Top Ten, with records through Saturday, Feb. 19, and points:

1.	Cheyney State 24-0	105
2.	North Dakota 20-3	89
3.	Grambling 19-3	83
4.	Southern Ill. 15-5	74
5.	Indiana State 22-3	61
6.	Northern Mich. 15-4	58
7.	Tenn. State 17-3	40
8.	Evansville 16-7	31
9.	Seattle Pacific 22-3	26
10.	Youngstown 17-3	24



JERRY YOUNT, of Parma, scoring two points against St. Henry in a quarter final game in the Class "S" Regional tournament at Parma. Uthoff of St. Henry tries to stop the score. Parma won 104-76.

Whitson Leads Parma to Win with 33 Points, Leopold Wins Over Zalma 82-72

PARMA -- In quarter - final games here last night Parma walloped St. Henry's of Parma 104-76, and Leopold won over Zalma 82-72.

In the first game of the evening Parma found themselves with a tough opponent as St. Henry's stayed within two points of the second seeded Pirates. Parma holding a slim 23-19 first quarter lead came out the second quarter and tallied a total of 35 points and holding St. Henry to 19 for the second quarter in a row. A total of 60 personal fouls were called in this game, with Parma collecting 35 and St. Henry 15.

Parma was hampered in the first quarter when Stan Whitson, district leading scorer collected his third foul with only three minutes being played in the first period, and he had to set out the remainder of the first period.

As the second period started Parma began to press and with Whitson back into action, the Pirates wheeled off 16 straight points with Whitson accounting for 12 of the first 16, he ended the second quarter with 19 points.

Harold Sapp, playmaker and team captain led the Pirates in the first and third quarters as he collected all of his 24 points in those two quarters.

Stan Whitson, who only played a small portion over two quarters tallied a total of 33 points for the night, this brings his average for the regional to 33 points, and the entire Parma squad is averaging a total of 100 points per game in the regional. Uthoff and Simmons head the scoring for St. Henry with 16 points each.

In the second game of the evening Leopold held off a stubborn Zalma five as they sailed to the semi-finals with a 82-72 win.

Leopold outscored their opponents in every quarter except the fourth quarter, when Zalma held a 24-21 advantage.

Stoverik and Holzum led Leopold to their victory with 19 points each and were followed by Nenninger and Hutchings with 15 and 14 points respectively. For Zalma it was Tolbert with 22 points.

Parma and Leopold will meet tonight in the semi-finals at 8:30.

Parma (104)				
Whitson	13	7	3	33
Lutes	3	0	5	6
Sapp	8	8	4	6
Davis	1	1	5	3
Daniels	4	2	2	10
Womack	2	1	4	5
Yount	1	8	5	10
Gibson	2	1	3	5
Dixson	2	2	2	6
Biggs	1	0	1	2
Totals	37	30	35	104
St. Henry (76)				
Uthoff	3	10	5	16
Bauenderman	7	1	2	15
O'Rourke	1	0	0	2
Bledsoe	1	1	4	3
Simmons	4	8	4	16
Baundendistel	3	4	5	10
Wills	6	0	5	12
Carr	1	0	0	2
Totals	26	24	25	76
Score by quarters:				
Parma	23	35	26	20
St. Henry	19	19	21	17
Leopold (82)				
Nenninger	7	1	2	15
Elfrink	4	0	5	8
Janson	2	2	3	6
Stoverik	6	7	3	19
Holzum	6	7	3	19
Beussink	0	1	0	1
Hutchinser	5	4	5	14
Totals	30	22	21	82
Zalma (72)				
Rhodes	2	0	2	4
Talbert	8	6	3	22
Payne	4	2	5	10
Cantrell	2	2	5	9
Fish	3	0	5	6
Bullinger	3	3	5	9
Price	1	2	1	4
Moore	1	6	3	8
Totals	24	24	31	72

High Shool Regional Tournament Round-Up of Scores

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REGIONAL TOURNAMENTS

CLASS M

Semifinals

Bloomfield 84, Malden 49

Greenville 62, Puxico 60

Quarter-finals

At Flat River

Hillsboro 74, Desloge 62

Ironton Arcadia Valley 64, Flat River 59

At Illmo-Scott City

Cape Girardeau Notre Dame 84, Woodland 62

Illmo-Scott City 90, Patton 70

At Hayti

Cardwell Southland 60, Hayti North 55

Lilbourn 50, North Pemiscot 45

At Bowling Green

Montgomery City 67, Winfield 39

Vandalia-Farber 57, Warrenton 50

At Cuba

Pacific 45, Newburg 40

Hermann 65, Belle 28

At Brentwood

St. Louis Country Day 65, Fairview 55

Brentwood 82, St. Charles Duchesne 77

St. Louis DeSales 77, O'Fallon St. Dominic 70

At Monett

McDonald County 57, Pierce City 41

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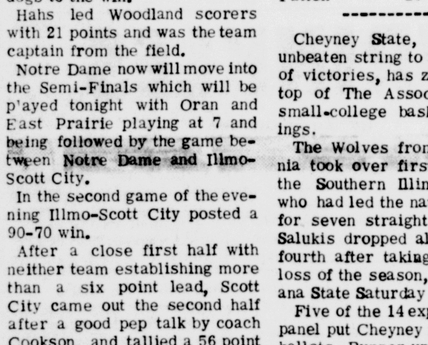

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Southland and Lilbourn Move Into Semi-Finals

HAYTI -- Southland rang up its second upset of the class "M" tournament here last night as they defeated the host school Hayti North 60-55. And in the second game of the evening third seeded Lilbourn eked past North Pemiscot 50-45.

In the first game of the evening Southland jumped out to an early lead of 17-9 and held the lead throughout the game, as Hayti was never able to regain their winning stride.

Southland paced by Markin and Staggs with 19 and 12 points respectively beat the favored Hayti five at their own game.

Hayti was paced by four players hitting in doube figures with Watkins and Johnson scoring 12 points each and Joy and Gardner chipping in with 11 each.

In the second game of the evening Lilbourn playing control ball and fine defense contained the Mustangs from North Pemiscot to only 14 points the entire first half while scoring 22 points the first half to take the lead. Lilbourn let up the second half and almost met defeat as the Mustangs outscored Lilbourn 31-28 the last half.

Lilbourn led by Tommy Gee with 19 points and 14 rebounds and Lynn Long with nine points won a chance at the championship. North Pemiscot was paced by White and Maronay with 11 points each.

Southland (60)				
Markin	8	3	3	19
Staggs	5	2	4	12
Dickerson	2	2	3	6
Johnson	4	1	2	9
Smith	4	0	2	8
Patty	1	4	2	6
Totals	24	12	16	60
Hayti North (55)				
Newsom	4	1	5	9
Watkins	3	6	5	12
Joy	5	1	3	11
Johnson	5	2	3	12
Haynes	0	0	2	0
Gardner	4	3	3	11
Totals	21	13	21	55
Score by quarters				
Southland	17	15	9	19
Hayti North	9	13	12	21
Lilbourn (50)				
Gee	7	5	5	19
Bodine	3	0	5	6
Bowen	2	2	1	6
Long	3	3	4	9
Blankenship	0	2	4	2
Baughman	3	2	2	8
Haralson	0	0	1	0
Totals	18	14	22	50
N. Pemiscot (45)				
Atnip	2	1	2	5
Allen	1	0	1	2
Howell	1	7	3	9
Edmonds	0	2	1	2
Miller	1	3	5	5
White	4	3	2	11
Maronay	4	3	3	11
Totals	13	19	17	45
Score by quarters				
Lilbourn	8	14	17	11
N. Pemiscot	5	9	15	16

JERRY YOUNT, of Parma, scoring two points against St. Henry in a quarter final game in the Class "S" Regional tournament at Parma. Uthoff of St. Henry tries to stop the score. Parma won 104-76.

Notre Dame Hands Woodland 84-62 Defeat, and Illmo Runs Past Patton 90-70 In 'M' Tourney

SCOTT CITY -- Notre Dame and Illmo-Scott City were victorious here last night in quarterfinal play of the class "M" regional tournament.

Notre Dame beat Woodland of Lutesville 84-62 in what was the 17th win for the Bulldogs from Notre Dame.

Notre Dame had little trouble as they raced to a first quarter lead of 23-14, and established a 41-23 half time edge and went on to win with the reserves playing the last half.

Poston and Compas combined for a total of 41 points with Poston collecting 25 points and Compas 16 to lead the Bulldogs to the win.

Hahs led Woodland scorers with 21 points and was the team captain from the field.

Notre Dame now will move into the Semi-Finals which will be p'ayed tonight with Oran and East Prairie playing at 7 and being followed by the game between Notre Dame and Illmo-Scott City.

In the second game of the evening Illmo-Scott City posted a 90-70 win.

After a close first half with neither team establishing more than a six point lead, Scott City came out the second half after a good pep talk by coach Cookson, and tallied a 56 point second half while holding Patton to 35.

Illmo was led by Crabtree with 20 points and was followed by McSwain and Payne with 18 points each.

Davis and Revelle led Patton scorers with 14 points each.

Notre Dame (84)				
Flaker	5	1	4	11
Compas	6	4	0	16
Wolfers	7	0	2	14
Posten	11	3	3	25
Rovert	3	2	4	8
Buchek	2	1	1	5
Jobe	0	0	1	0
Ziegler	2	0	4	4
Scott	0	0	1	0
Kochler	0	1	0	1
Totals	26	12	20	84
Woodland (62)				
Crader	3	4	2	10
Hahs	10	1	4	21
Crites	3	1	4	7
Filer	3	4	4	10
Long	1	12	3	14
Totals	20	22	17	62
Score by quarters:				
Notre Dame	23	18	22	21
Woodland	14	9	16	23

Illmo-Scott City (90)

Blattel	6	1	2	13
Payne	7	4	2	18
Wadlington	4	2	3	10
Brant	5	1	2	11
Crabtree	10	0	1	20
McSwain	9	0	3	18
Totals	41	8	13	90
Patton (70)				
Davis	2	10	1	14
Wilfong	6	0	3	12
Mungle	4	1	1	9
Hardo	1	0	0	2
Revell	6	2	3	14
Bailey	5	0	0	10
Waller	2	1	2	5
Brotherton	1	2	1	4
Totals	27	16	11	70
Score by quarters:				
Illmo	16	18	25	31
Patton	20	15	12	23

Cheyney State, running its unbeaten string to 24 with a pair of victories, has zoomed to the top of The Associated Press small-college basketball rankings.

The Wolves from Pennsylvania took over first place from the Southern Illinois Salukis, who had led the nationwide poll for seven straight weeks. The Salukis dropped all the way to fourth after taking their fifth loss of the season, 85-83 to Indiana State Saturday night.

Five of the 14 experts on A P's panel put Cheyney first on their ballots. Runner-up North Dakota, 20-3, got three firsts; Grambling, 19-3, received one and stayed in third, and two went to Southern Illinois.

Sixth-ranked Northern Michigan, Abilene Christian and Colorado State College collected the three other firsts.

Indiana State climbed from ninth to fifth with its victory over Southern Illinois, North Michigan fell one spot to sixth, Tennessee State and Evansville remained seventh and eighth, Seattle Pacific moved up one place to ninth and Youngstown, beaten twice last week, went from sixth to 10th.

The Top Ten, with records through Saturday, Feb. 19, and points:

1.	Cheyney State	24-0 105
2.	North Dakota	20-3 89
3.	Grambling	19-3 83
4.	Southern Ill.	15-5 74
5.	Indiana State	22-3 61
6.	Northern Mich.	15-4 58
7.	Tenn. State	17-3 40
8.	Evansville	16-7 31
9.	Seattle Pacific	22-3 26
10.	Youngstown	17-3 24

Whitson Leads Parma to Win with 33 Points, Leopold Wins Over Zalma 82-72

PARMA -- In quarter - final games here last night Parma walloped St. Henry's of Parma 104-76, and Leopold won over Zalma 82-72.

In the first game of the evening Parma found themselves with a tough opponent as St. Henry's stayed within two points of the second seeded Pirates. Parma holding a slim 23-19 first quarter lead came out the second quarter and tallied a total of 35 points and holding St. Henry to 19 for the second quarter in a row. A total of 60 personal fouls were called in this game, with Parma collecting 35 and St. Henry 15.

Parma was hampered in the first quarter when Stan Whitson, district leading scorer collected his third foul with only three minutes being played in the first period, and he had to set out the remainder of the first period.

As the second period started Parma began to press and with Whitson back into action, the Pirates wheeled off 16 straight points with Whitson accounting for 12 of the first 16, he ended the second quarter with 19 points.

Harold Sapp, playmaker and team captain led the Pirates in the first and third quarters as he collected all of his 24 points in those two quarters.

Stan Whitson, who only played a small portion over two quarters tallied a total of 33 points for the night, this brings his average for the regional to 33 points, and the entire Parma squad is averaging a total of 100 points per game in the regional. Uthoff and Simmons head the scoring for St. Henry with 16 points each.

In the second game of the evening Leopold held off a stubborn Zalma five as they sailed to the semi-finals with a 82-72 win.

Leopold outscored their opponents in every quarter except the fourth quarter, when Zalma held a 24-21 advantage.

Stoverik and Holzum led Leopold to their victory with 19 points each and were followed by Nenninger and Hutchings with 15 and 14 points respectively. For Zalma it was Tolbert with 22 points.

Parma and Leopold will meet tonight in the semi-finals at 8:30.

Parma (104)				
Whitson	13	7	3	33
Lutes	3	0	5	6
Sapp	8	8	4	6
Davis	1	1	5	3
Daniels	4	2	2	10
Womack	2	1	4	5
Yount	1	8	5	10
Gibson	2	1	3	5
Dixson	2	2	2	6
Biggs	1	0	1	2
Totals	37	30	35	104
St. Henry (76)				
Uthoff	3	10	5	16
Bauenderman	7	1	2	15
O'Rourke	1	0	0	2
Bledsoe	1	1	4	3
Simmons	4	8	4	16
Baundendistel	3	4	5	10
Wills	6	0	5	12
Carr	1	0	0	2
Totals	26	24	25	76
Score by quarters:				
Parma	23	35	26	20
St. Henry	19	19	21	17
Leopold (82)				
Nenninger	7	1	2	15
Elfrink	4	0	5	8
Janson	2	2	3	6
Stoverik	6	7	3	19
Holzum	6	7	3	19
Beussink	0	1	0	1
Hutchinser	5	4	5	14
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Rhodes	2	0	2	4
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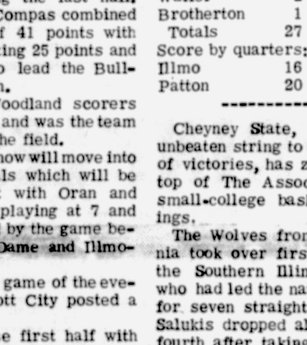

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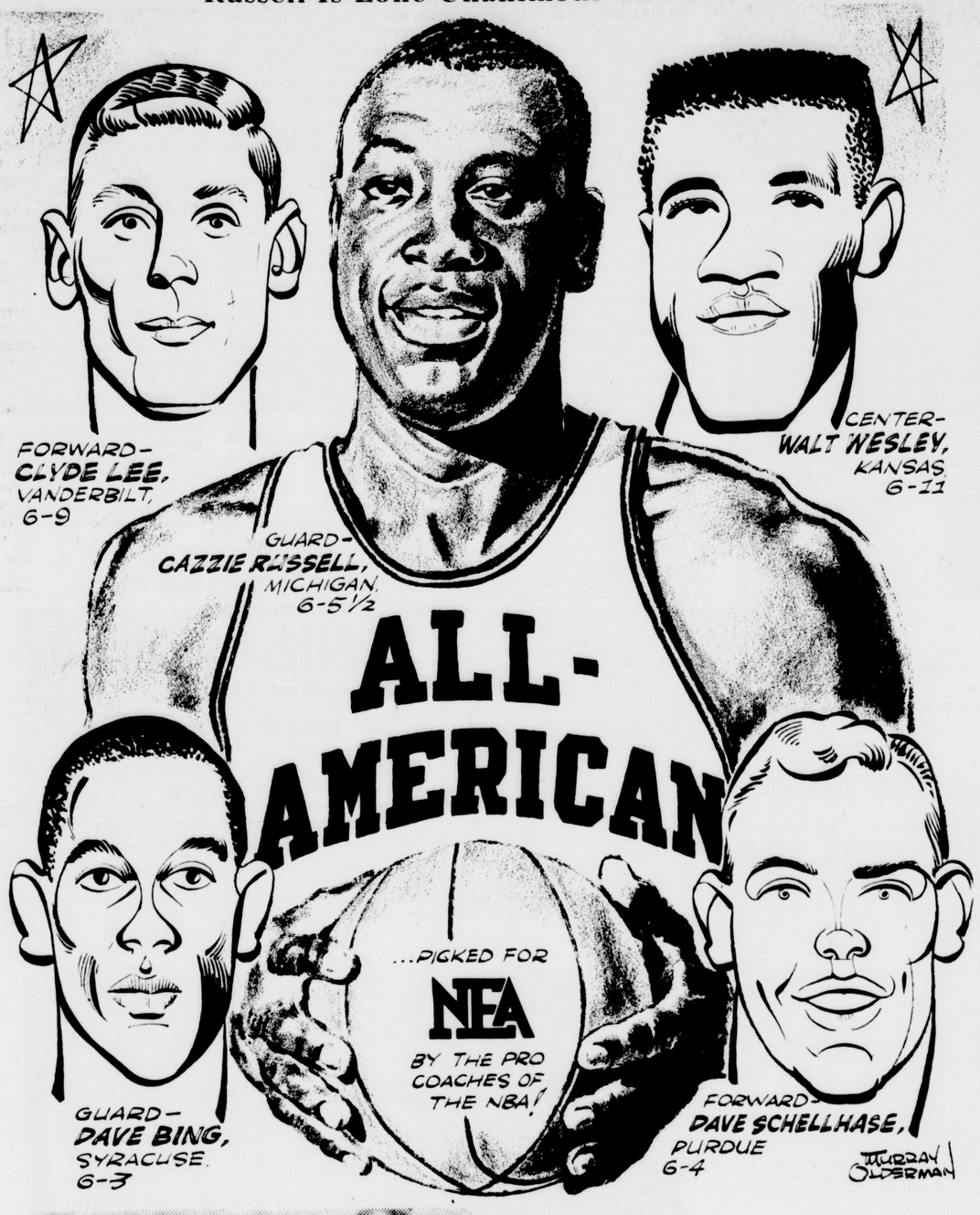

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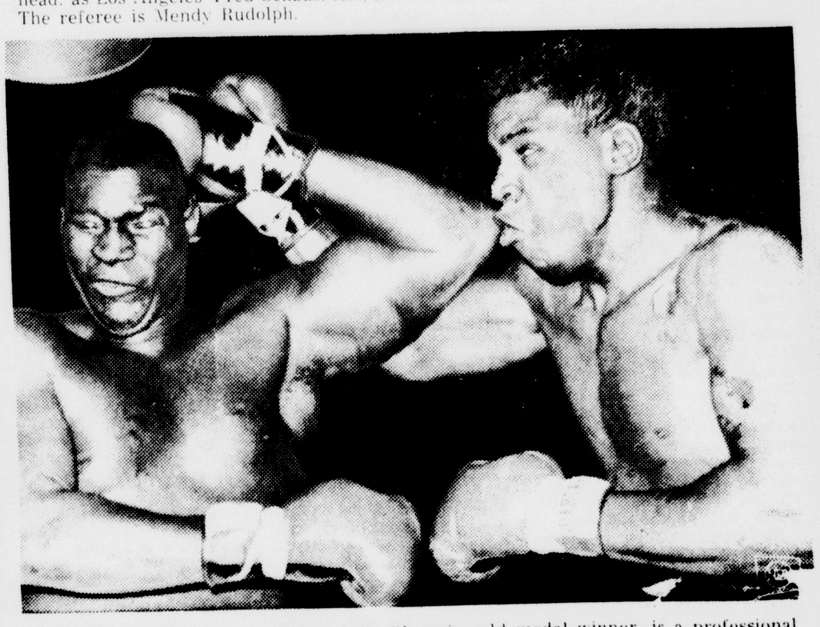

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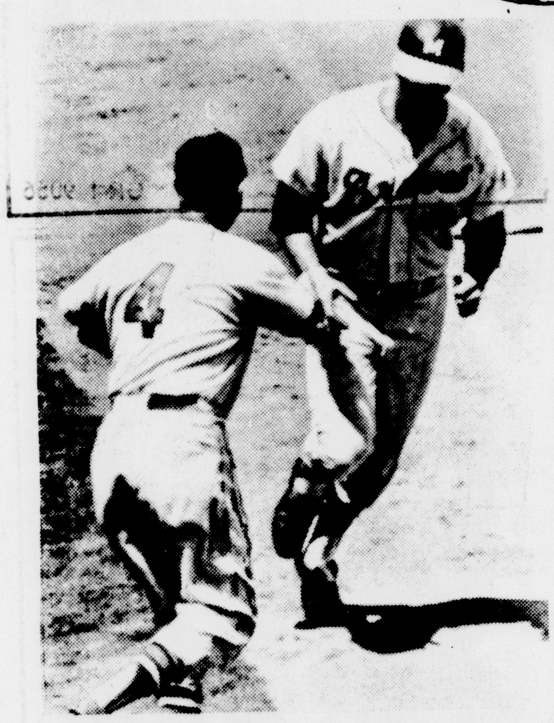
COOKIE AJAR—Cookie Rojas is one of Gene Mauch's most valuable possessions. He has played every position for Philadelphia except first base and pitcher. This year, he'll start at second—until trouble develops elsewhere.

PUTT 'N' CALL—In professional golf, they say, "You drive for show and putt for dough." The grimacing countenance of Arnold Palmer, left, is ample evidence of what a missed putt means on the tournament tour. As for Tony Lema, it was one of his better days.



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DIFFERENT RULE—Jack Rule has a few of his own rules about putting. For putts under 10 feet he uses a bent club. For the longer ones he uses the conventional putter. Here he gets set for a shot with the bent club.

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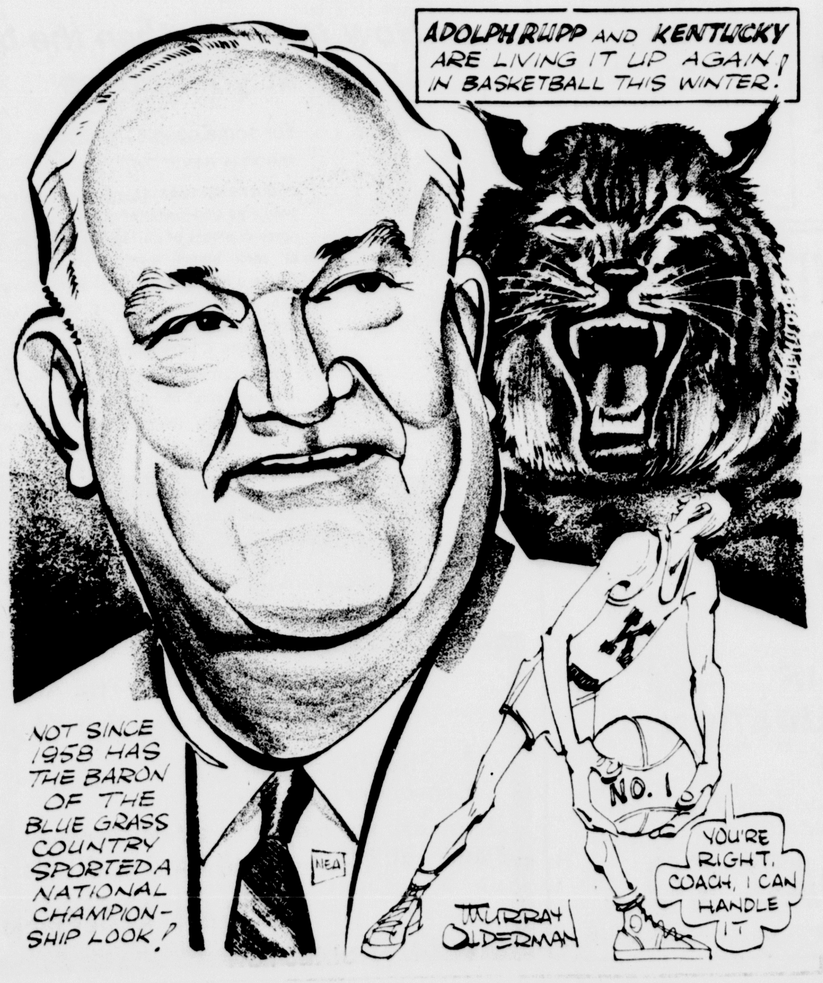

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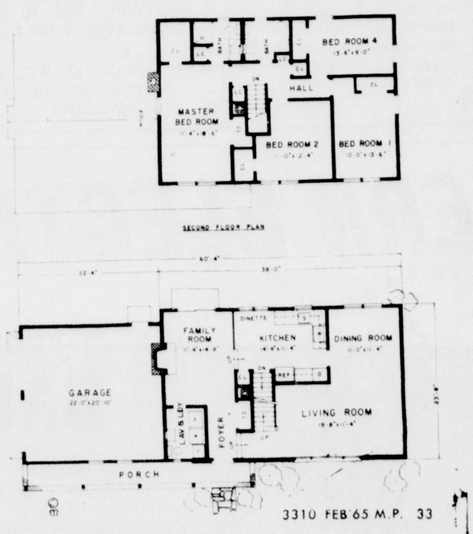

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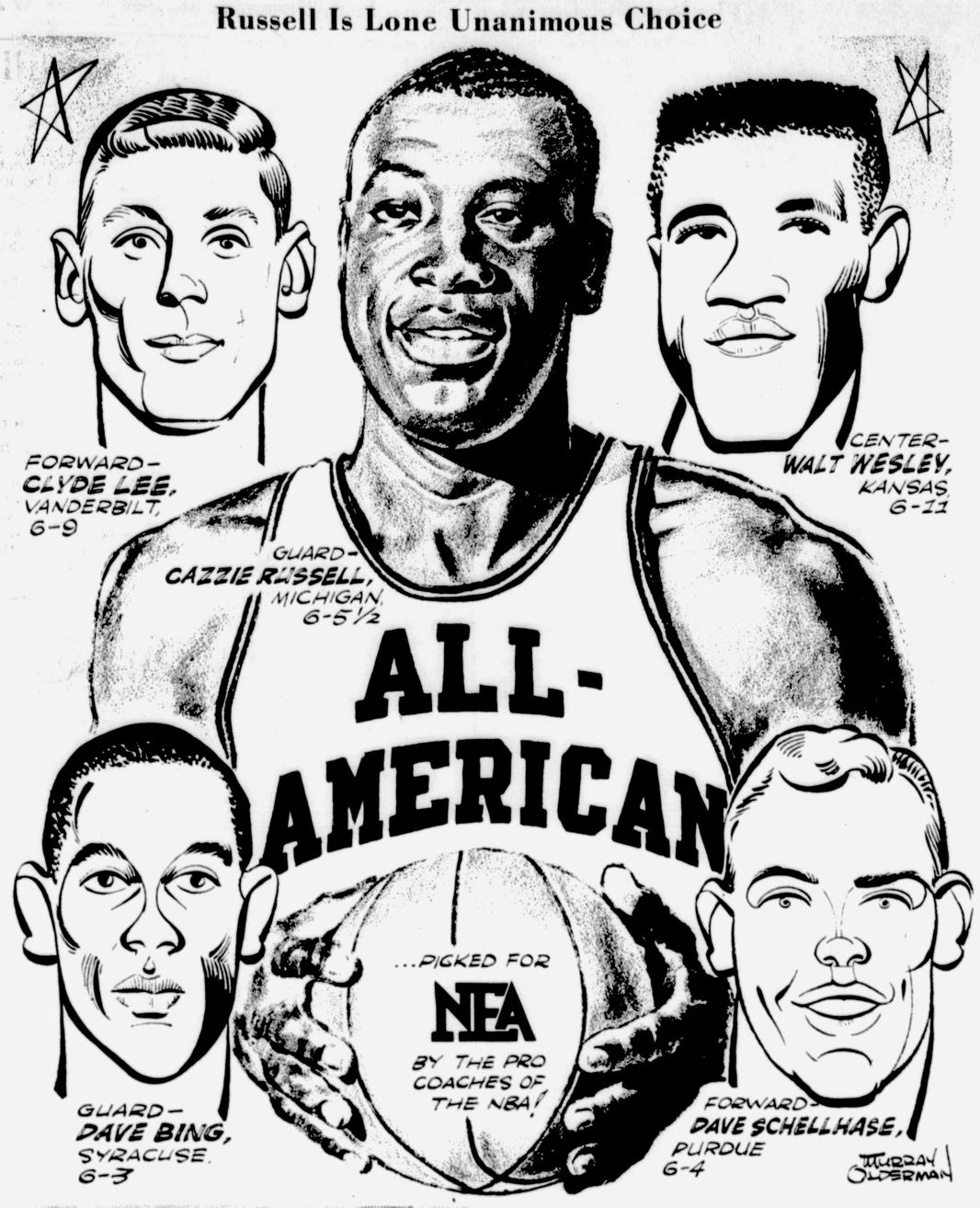

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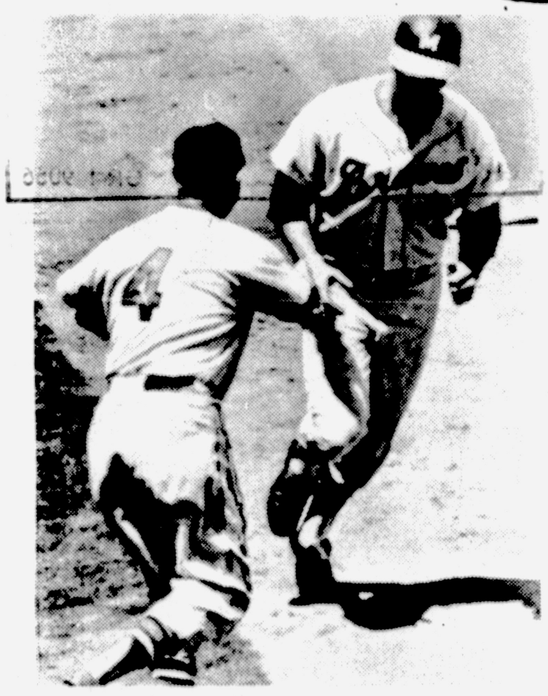
BAT GIRLS—Not the feminine interest on a television program, but newcomers to the baseball field. Southern Illinois University baseball coach Joe Lutz, former St. Louis Browns' first baseman, is surrounded by coeds who answered a call to lend active support to the school's team by serving as bat girls. They are expected to boost morale in the dugout and attendance at games.

OUT OF OBJECTION—There are two ways a National Basketball Association coach can say, "Hey, ref, you gotta be kidding." Scream it or smile and shake your head, as Los Angeles' Fred Schaus, left, and Cincinnati's Jack McMahon demonstrate. The referee is Mendy Rudolph.

COOKIE AJAR—Cookie Rojas is one of Gene Mauch's most valuable possessions. He has played every position for Philadelphia except first base and pitcher. This year, he'll start at second—until trouble develops elsewhere.

SCHOOL DAZE—Buster Mathis, left, Olympic gold medal winner, is a professional heavyweight now and is learning to take as well as give. Buster has "slimmed down" to 266 pounds and has looked impressive, except for a few brief moments.



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DIFFERENT RULE—Jack Rule has a few of his own rules about putting. For putts under 10 feet he uses a bent club. For the longer ones he uses the conventional putter. Here he gets set for a shot with the bent club.

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PUTT 'N' CALL—In professional golf, they say, "You drive for show and putt for dough." The grimacing countenance of Arnold Palmer, left, is ample evidence of what a missed putt means on the tournament tour. As for Tony Lema, it was one of his better days.

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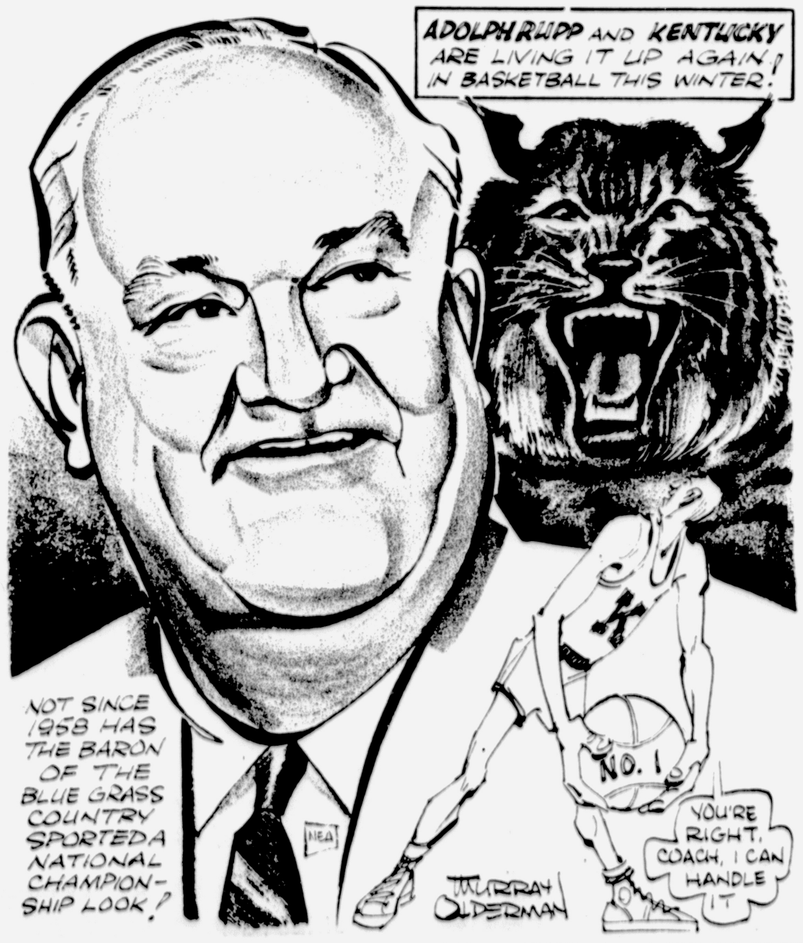

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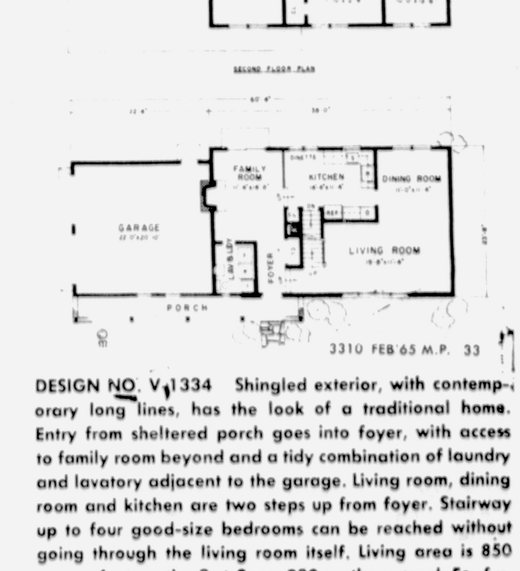

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AP Military Writer

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But at the same time, he came away from his nine-nation tour with sharpened concern over the threat posed by Red China all across Southeast Asia, South Asia and throughout the Western Pacific region.

Humphrey might be expected to speak confidently in public. But he expresses guarded optimism in private as well.

Asked to cite specific reasons, he acknowledges it is more a feeling than anything that can be documented.

This feeling set in after conversations with U.S. military and civilian officials at various levels in Viet Nam, from admittedly kaleidoscopic on-the-spot observations, and from hard talks with Viet Nam's leaders, chiefly Prime Minister Nguyen Cao Ky.

The vice president, it is known, set out for Viet Nam not knowing what he would find — even though he had had the benefit of regular U.S. briefings and had been current on intelligence reports and evaluations.

His intensified apprehension about Red China grew out of a series of cards-on-the-table discussions with government chiefs, particularly those of Thailand, Laos, India, Australia, New Zealand and the Philippines.

In a way, the trip was an education for Humphrey, despite his long familiarity with world problems from years as a U.S. senator.

The mission started out appearing to be a sort of drum-beating exercise, merchandising the new emphasis on social and economic reform measures which emerged from the Honolulu conference between President Johnson and South Vietnamese leaders.

But it soon became evident that Humphrey's aims were broader than that.

In Viet Nam, he sought to gauge the sincerity of Ky and others in the Saigon government and the practicality of their plans for "rural reconstruction" and similar uplift measures.

Humphrey convinced himself that Ky means what he says and that the plans are generally sound. But the vice president is under no illusions that the execution of those plans will be easy, particularly because South Viet Nam is short on trained technicians and specialists.

The vice president did not hesitate to talk to Ky about curbing black marketeering and corruption, which undermine public confidence in the Saigon government. Ky assured him he intended to act—and he did so, shortly after Humphrey left.

Moving on to other countries in the critical Asian area, Humphrey sought to plant the idea that these nations must work in harness in facing the common menace of Red China.

He told leaders in Bangkok, Vientiane, Karachi, New Delhi and elsewhere that they must take the lead, that they must try to mobilize support and help from other non-Communist nations and not rely wholly on the United States.

Over and over, Humphrey stressed that the military facet should not overshadow the long-range aspect involving programs to eradicate the economic inequities, the poverty, the injustices on which the Communists feed in promoting subversion.

He spoke firmly to the Indians and the Pakistanis, telling them the United States expects them to come up with the deeds to back up the words of the Tashkent Agreement. That agreement is regarded as a start toward resolving the long-standing feuding between the two neighbors in the South Asian subcontinent.

In Australia and New Zealand, the vice president sought to encourage the trend in those countries toward identification with the interests of the Asian area. In the past those nations have been oriented more toward Britain and the British Commonwealth.

A couple of his stops were booked in part to soothe ruffled feelings or to avoid bruising the pride of some important leaders.

The Humphrey party was well aware that the Australians and New Zealanders were miffed at having been left out of the Honolulu conference, since both have committed some troops to Viet Nam.

At one point, the plan was to spend only about 16 hours in Australia. But the U.S. Embassy sent word this would not be enough to assuage the feelings of the Aussies. So the stay was about doubled.

Since Humphrey was ticketed to go to Thailand, it was felt he had to journey up to Laos, lest Laotian Prime Minister Souvanna Phouma feel slighted.

And, since he was roving around the Pacific Area, Humphrey was of the opinion he could not bypass the Philippines or South Korea without risking offense.

As it turned out, the Philippine visit yielded a sort of bonus in a strong statement by President Ferdinand E. Marcos making clear his unequivocal intention to send engineer troops to Viet Nam, and his desire to follow these up with combat elements.

Humphrey was sort of a revelation to the Asian leaders who watched him in action. Asian government officials normally stand aloof. Humphrey took every opportunity to meet the people, to chat with those who spoke English.

After seeing the reaction Humphrey received from Vietnamese villagers and city folk the vice president met, Prime Minister Ky was seen to plunge into American-style handshaking and patting of baby heads.

Highway robbery in England was never an elevating career --except to the gallows--but, strangely, one highwayman rose to the highest judical seat in the land. John Popham was a well-born collegian, out of Oxford, who went to London to study law. That rowdy town in 1550 suited Popham's temperament; though he married a nice girl, he couldn't settle down. For years he romped with a wild crowd of young blades who kept themselves in funds by holding up travelers near the city. Finally, his wife reformed him by pointing out that he was getting nowhere; he agreed, threw a farewell party for the gang, and at 30 buckled down to his books. Advancement came in due course; a successful lawyer, he was appointed Attorney-General and ultimately Lord Chief Justice of England. From that august bench Sir John Popham dealt severely with thieves and highwaymen. But he never denied his own past. A story goes that once, when one of the old crowd was brought before him, he asked the man what had happened to the others. The prisoners replied, "All the villains are hanged, my lord, except you and me." Popham believed jailbirds were only good enough to populate colonies with. In 1607, the year he died, he sent two shiploads of them to found the Popham Colony in Maine. In 1608 the venture failed and the name of the ex-highwayman judge missed becoming a permanent part of America.

Louis S. Wachtol

Grain Sales Have Bearish Market Effect

CHICAGO AP -- A farm union leader's report of massive corn and soybean sales by his organization at a time when prices already were declining has puzzled grain futures traders.

The National Farm Organization headquarters in Corning, Iowa, said that it had sold some 50 million bushels of the commodities in simultaneous transactions in 17 states Wednesday after the close of the futures market.

The announcement had a bearish impact on Thursday's trade, particularly soybeans.

It unnerved many speculators who liquidated long commitments and sold short ones in sufficient volume to knock prices of most contracts down more than 4 cents a bushel.

The report dominated the trade, even though many analysts expressed doubt that the sales actually were made in one day.

Traders said they had found no confirmation of the NFL report. Some thought the sales had been made over a long period of time and that they had been absorbed in normal day-to-day operations.

Oren Lee Staley, president of the NFO, said in the announcement that weeks of planning went into the sales which he said were timed for 2:30 p.m. yesterday, 75 minutes after the close of the Chicago Board of Trade Futures Market.

Two Charleston Women Face Theft Charges

CAIRO -- Two Charleston, Mo., women have been charged with theft, following their arrest in Cairo Wednesday night.

Chief of Police Carl J. Clutts accused the two of shoplifting items from the Farmer's Market in uptown Cairo about 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Erma Jean Bell, 25, and Amy Henderson, 34, were caught by the store's owner after they ran, Clutts charged. One of the women allegedly had a package of meat in her purse and the other dropped a bag of sugar just outside the door of the store when they ran.

The two women are being held in the Alexander County jail.

About an hour earlier, two youths were caught shoplifting in the market, Chief Clutts said. He said the two youths were not connected with the second incident and they would be handled in juvenile court.

March 22 Election Set

CHARLESTON -- Charleston will hold its annual primary election March 22, to elect one councilman-at-large for three years.

The term of Dr. J. M. Cullison expires this year.

Persons desiring to become candidates must file with the city clerk by March 12.

When dad needles ma about all the junk in her purse, she

just dares him to empty all his pockets on the table.

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Happiness is when you get into the habit of avoiding bad habits.

Specials Crowd Into TV

By CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP Television-Radio Writer

NEW YORK -- The three major television networks will crowd a wide variety of special programs into the next five days. They range from an international discussion of nuclear weapons policy to a possible preview of one of next season's new series.

The possible preview turns up on NBC tonight, 9-10, when "The Man From U.N.C.L.E." will show an episode called "The Girl From U.N.C.L.E.", who is former Miss America, Mary Ann Mobley. It may be a spin-off pilot for a new show.

Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey will be a guest on ABC's Sunday "Issues and Answer" 12:30-1 p.m., and report on his recent journey as an emissary of peace. Later Sunday, ABC will repeat its "Anatomy of Pop" special, 4-5 p.m., originally broadcast less than two weeks ago when it conflicted with a CBS special on the divorce problem. Cyril Ritchard will host an NBC Telephone Hour that evening, 5:30-6:30, devoted to the music of Alan Jay Lerner.

Judy Garland and Bill Gosby will be Perry Como's guest stars in his Monday night special on NBC 8-9. It will be followed on the network by the second of its audience quiz shows, "Testing, How Quick Is Your Eye?" 9-10.

"CBS Reports," with an assist from the Early Bird satellite, will have another in its "Town Meeting of the Air" series on Tuesday, 9-10 p.m. Participants in a discussion on "How to Stop the Spread of Nuclear Weapons" will include Sen. Robert Kennedy in New York, Lord Chalfont of the British Foreign Affairs Ministry in Geneva, French government advisor Pierre Gallois from Paris and former West German Defense Minister Franz Joseph Strauss from Munich.

Rogers Will Run Again For Mayor

CARUTHERSVILLE -- Mayor B. F. 'Hot' Rogers made two announcements Tuesday that will vitally affect the City of Caruthersville:

1: He announced he will seek a third term as mayor of Caruthersville.

2: He said the city has obtained an option on 65 acres of land, with the intention of using this land as the site of a lagoon for the long-sought sewerage project.

Rogers, who has been mayor for two four-year terms, said he will run for a third term on a "Program for Progress" platform.

Turning to the sewerage project, Mayor Rogers said the 65 acres have been obtained on option from Mr. and Mrs. John Robert Bader. The land is south of the city.

The sewerage project has been in operation with state and federal authorities for the past three years.

New Pastor in Poplar Bluff

POPLAR BLUFF -- The Rev. Roger Guy has accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Christian church. He will move here this week with his family.

For seven years, Guy has served as pastor of the First Christian Church in Sterling, Colo.

One woman describing another's figure: "She has a three-orchid bosom."

---C. G. Long

(NEA Telephoto)

ENGAGEMENT PORTRAIT—The Green Room of the White House was the setting for this formal engagement portrait of Luci Baines Johnson. Wedding of the President's younger daughter and Patrick Nugent of Waukegan, Ill., is set for August.

A Dream Come True Wedding Planned for Luci Johnson

By FRANCES LEWINE

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lady Bird Johnson wants her daughter Luci to have a wedding to remember always as "a dream come true."

The First Lady spoke sentimentally and nostalgically in an exclusive interview Wednesday night about the forthcoming marriage of Luci, 18, and Airman Patrick J. Nugent, 22, of Waukegan, Ill.

"I want it to be as personal and as sentimental and as really hers and the family's as our life permits," the President's wife said feelingly.

The wedding has been set for high noon, Aug. 6, at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, the nation's largest Roman Catholic church.

Because the church can hold thousands it has been assumed that the Johnson-Nugent nuptials will be a huge, very public event in social Washington.

The guest list, Mrs. Johnson said, is yet to be compiled, but it will include only "strictly friends."

Mrs. Johnson explained that the church had been picked by Luci "because it was a church she and Pat have gone to a lot and she has an attachment for it."

The mother of the bride-to-be was asked how she felt about her daughter marrying so young.

"I think any parent would prefer a child to finish her education," she replied, "but on the other hand, I think a year of planning it and a year of being sure about it is a very reasonable approach and I do think Luci is a very feminine, domestic sort of girl for whom this will be right."

Luci has been busily planning already for her wedding and there has been much speculation about her wedding party, which is sure to include her older sister, Lynda, 21, and best friend, Beth Jenkins, daughter to former presidential adviser Walter Jenkins. A student at Marquette University. Beth introduced Pat and Luci last June.

As to whom the wedding party will include, Mrs. Johnson smilingly told the story of Luci as "a little, bitty girl" whose birthday party was to be limited to "just best friends."

"Wide-eyed Luci declared 'but mother I have so many best friends!' "

Then, Mrs. Johnson added "there are quite a few girls who have shared her life" and most likely would be included. But she wouldn't mention any names.

Mrs. Johnson discussed her daughter's wedding as she flew back home from a long day's trip to Denver, Colo., where she spoke out for more beautiful highways for the nation.

She said she plans to clear her official calendar for June and July so she can devote all the time "to my personal life--to try to put together a lovely day to remember—the dream of every girl."

In those two months, Mrs. Johnson said, the guest list will be compiled and plans made, with the help of White House social secretary Bess Abell, for the White House wedding reception honoring the newlyweds.

The wedding dress will be Luci's choice and her mother said there'll be a lot of time spent on the selection.

Luci, according to her mother, is "happy as a lark" with the big event now scheduled. And Mrs. Johnson described her younger daughter as "a sprite—and a delight."

"If we have any troubles, she comes in and cheers you up."

Nugent, now on active duty with the Air National Guard, was described by the First Lady as having "a very good leavening influence on Luci. He gets her back to her studies and to places on time. A good solid person."

Mrs. Johnson hopes the two can manage to get away on a honeymoon that will be really private.

Luci is now a freshman in Georgetown University's school of nursing and Mrs. Johnson said both she and the President "want very much for Luci to continue her education and I really think she will, though maybe not at the pace she would have if she were living at home or in a dormitory."

HEARTS ARE TRUMPS

A little kindness to another child a long time ago paid off well for me; otherwise, I might not even be here in this country today, and never know what it is to be an American.

One day a new family moved to our town in Germany. They had a little girl my age. One morning she stood in front of our class in school. As I looked at her standing there so lost and forlorn, my heart went out to her. Afer classes I asked her if she didn't want to come to my home for a visit for I know I could help her with her lessons. She accepted gladly and we became friends.

None of the other girls wanted anything to do with her because her mother ran a little fish market, and sometimes my girl friend smelled of fish. I didn't mind it at all! Two years after we graduated from the 8th grade, my friend went to America to make her home with her sister, who had sent her the ship ticket. She was to be a child's nurse in the household where her sister was the cook.

In the summer of 1912, the family she was working for took a trip to Europe, taking my friend along. As they were visiting close to our home town, the lady gave my friend two weeks off to visit her own family. Her father wrote me that she was coming, and I asked the lady I was working for to give me a weekend off to see my friend.

When we met, the first question she put to me was, "Will you come to America with me?" Gladly!" I answered. In three weeks I had to be ready to sail from Rotterdam.

Now when I look back, I can't help thinking that there were 22 girls she could have chosen from, as we were that many in our graduating class, but she told me she asked only me because I was the one who had been kind to her in school.

Elizabeth Armbruster

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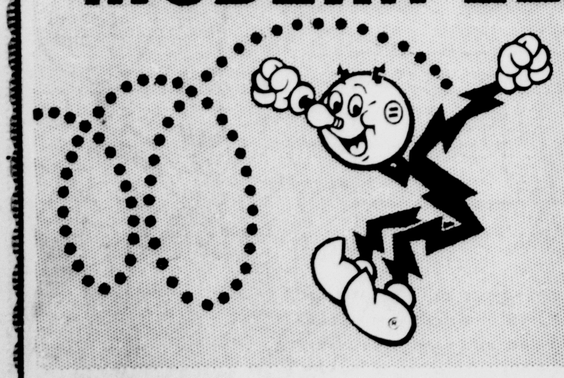

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Humphrey might be expected to speak confidently in public. But he expresses guarded optimism in private as well.

Asked to cite specific reasons, he acknowledges it is more a feeling than anything that can be documented.

This feeling set in after conversations with U.S. military and civilian officials at various levels in Viet Nam, from admittedly kaleidoscopic on-the-spot observations, and from hard talks with Viet Nam's leaders, chiefly Prime Minister Nguyen Cao Ky.

The vice president, it is known, set out for Viet Nam not knowing what he would find — even though he had had the benefit of regular U.S. briefings and had been current on intelligence reports and evaluations.

His intensified apprehension about Red China grew out of a series of cards-on-the-table discussions with government chiefs, particularly those of Thailand, Laos, India, Australia, New Zealand and the Philippines.

In a way, the trip was an education for Humphrey, despite his long familiarity with world problems from years as a U.S. senator.

The mission started out appearing to be a sort of drum-beating exercise, merchandising the new emphasis on social and economic reform measures which emerged from the Honolulu conference between President Johnson and South Vietnamese leaders.

But it soon became evident that Humphrey's aims were broader than that.

In Viet Nam, he sought to gauge the sincerity of Ky and others in the Saigon government and the practicality of their plans for "rural reconstruction" and similar uplift measures.

Humphrey convinced himself that Ky means what he says and that the plans are generally sound. But the vice president is under no illusions that the execution of those plans will be easy, particularly because South Viet Nam is short on trained technicians and specialists.

The vice president did not hesitate to talk to Ky about curbing black marketeering and corruption, which undermine public confidence in the Saigon government. Ky assured him he intended to act—and he did so, shortly after Humphrey left.

Moving on to other countries in the critical Asian area, Humphrey sought to plant the idea that these nations must work in harness in facing the common menace of Red China.

He told leaders in Bangkok, Vientiane, Karachi, New Delhi and elsewhere that they must take the lead, that they must try to mobilize support and help from other non-Communist nations and not rely wholly on the United States.

Over and over, Humphrey stressed that the military facet should not overshadow the long-range aspect involving programs to eradicate the economic inequities, the poverty, the injustices on which the Communists feed in promoting subversion.

He spoke firmly to the Indians and the Pakistanis, telling them the United States expects them to come up with the deeds to back up the words of the Tashkent Agreement. That agreement is regarded as a start toward resolving the long-standing feuding between the two neighbors in the South Asian subcontinent.

In Australia and New Zealand, the vice president sought to encourage the trend in those countries toward identification with the interests of the Asian area. In the past those nations have been oriented more toward Britain and the British Commonwealth.

A couple of his stops were booked in part to soothe ruffled feelings or to avoid bruising the pride of some important leaders.

The Humphrey party was well aware that the Australians and New Zealanders were miffed at having been left out of the Honolulu conference, since both have committed some troops to Viet Nam.

At one point, the plan was to spend only about 16 hours in Australia. But the U.S. Embassy sent word this would not be enough to assuage the feelings of the Aussies. So the stay was about doubled.

Since Humphrey was ticketed to go to Thailand, it was felt he had to journey up to Laos, lest Laotian Prime Minister Souvanna Phouma feel slighted.

And, since he was roving around the Pacific Area, Humphrey was of the opinion he could not bypass the Philippines or South Korea without risking offense.

As it turned out, the Philippine visit yielded a sort of bonus in a strong statement by President Ferdinand E. Marcos making clear his unequivocal intention to send engineer troops to Viet Nam, and his desire to follow these up with combat elements.

Humphrey was sort of a revelation to the Asian leaders who watched him in action. Asian government officials normally stand aloof. Humphrey took every opportunity to meet the people, to chat with those who spoke English.

After seeing the reaction Humphrey received from Vietnamese villagers and city folk the vice president met, Prime Minister Ky was seen to plunge into American-style handshaking and patting of baby heads.

Highway robbery in England was never an elevating career --except to the gallows--but, strangely, one highwayman rose to the highest judical seat in the land. John Popham was a well-born collegian, out of Oxford, who went to London to study law. That rowdy town in 1550 suited Popham's temperament; though he married a nice girl, he couldn't settle down. For years he romped with a wild crowd of young blades who kept themselves in funds by holding up travelers near the city. Finally, his wife reformed him by pointing out that he was getting nowhere; he agreed, threw a farewell party for the gang, and at 30 buckled down to his books. Advancement came in due course; a successful lawyer, he was appointed Attorney-General and ultimately Lord Chief Justice of England. From that august bench Sir John Popham dealt severely with thieves and highwaymen. But he never denied his own past. A story goes that once, when one of the old crowd was brought before him, he asked the man what had happened to the others. The prisoners replied, "All the villains are hanged, my lord, except you and me." Popham believed jailbirds were only good enough to populate colonies with. In 1607, the year he died, he sent two shiploads of them to found the Popham Colony in Maine. In 1608 the venture failed and the name of the ex-highwayman judge missed becoming a permanent part of America.

Louis S. Wachtol

Grain Sales Have Bearish Market Effect

CHICAGO AP -- A farm union leader's report of massive corn and soybean sales by his organization at a time when prices already were declining has puzzled grain futures traders.

The National Farm Organization headquarters in Corning, Iowa, said that it had sold some 50 million bushels of the commodities in simultaneous transactions in 17 states Wednesday after the close of the futures market.

The announcement had a bearish impact on Thursday's trade, particularly soybeans.

It unnerved many speculators who liquidated long commitments and sold short ones in sufficient volume to knock prices of most contracts down more than 4 cents a bushel.

The report dominated the trade, even though many analysts expressed doubt that the sales actually were made in one day.

Traders said they had found no confirmation of the NFL report. Some thought the sales had been made over a long period of time and that they had been absorbed in normal day-to-day operations.

Oren Lee Staley, president of the NFO, said in the announcement that weeks of planning went into the sales which he said were timed for 2:30 p.m. yesterday, 75 minutes after the close of the Chicago Board of Trade Futures Market.

Two Charleston Women Face Theft Charges

CAIRO -- Two Charleston, Mo., women have been charged with theft, following their arrest in Cairo Wednesday night.

Chief of Police Carl J. Clutts accused the two of shoplifting items from the Farmer's Market in uptown Cairo about 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Erma Jean Bell, 25, and Amy Henderson, 34, were caught by the store's owner after they ran, Clutts charged. One of the women allegedly had a package of meat in her purse and the other dropped a bag of sugar just outside the door of the store when they ran.

The two women are being held in the Alexander County jail.

About an hour earlier, two youths were caught shoplifting in the market, Chief Clutts said. He said the two youths were not connected with the second incident and they would be handled in juvenile court.

March 22 Election Set

CHARLESTON -- Charleston will hold its annual primary election March 22, to elect one councilman-at-large for three years.

The term of Dr. J. M. Cullison expires this year.

Persons desiring to become candidates must file with the city clerk by March 12.

When dad needles ma about all the junk in her purse, she

just dares him to empty all his pockets on the table.

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Happiness is when you get into the habit of avoiding bad habits.

Specials Crowd Into TV

By CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP Television-Radio Writer

NEW YORK -- The three major television networks will crowd a wide variety of special programs into the next five days. They range from an international discussion of nuclear weapons policy to a possible preview of one of next season's new series.

The possible preview turns up on NBC tonight, 9-10, when "The Man From U.N.C.L.E." will show an episode called "The Girl From U.N.C.L.E.", who is former Miss America, Mary Ann Mobley. It may be a spin-off pilot for a new show.

Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey will be a guest on ABC's Sunday "Issues and Answer" 12:30-1 p.m., and report on his recent journey as an emissary of peace. Later Sunday, ABC will repeat its "Anatomy of Pop" special, 4-5 p.m., originally broadcast less than two weeks ago when it conflicted with a CBS special on the divorce problem. Cyril Ritchard will host an NBC Telephone Hour that evening, 5:30-6:30, devoted to the music of Alan Jay Lerner.

Judy Garland and Bill Gosby will be Perry Como's guest stars in his Monday night special on NBC 8-9. It will be followed on the network by the second of its audience quiz shows, "Testing, How Quick Is Your Eye?" 9-10.

"CBS Reports," with an assist from the Early Bird satellite, will have another in its "Town Meeting of the Air" series on Tuesday, 9-10 p.m. Participants in a discussion on "How to Stop the Spread of Nuclear Weapons" will include Sen. Robert Kennedy in New York, Lord Chalfont of the British Foreign Affairs Ministry in Geneva, French government advisor Pierre Gallois from Paris and former West German Defense Minister Franz Joseph Strauss from Munich.

Rogers Will Run Again For Mayor

CARUTHERSVILLE -- Mayor B. F. 'Hot' Rogers made two announcements Tuesday that will vitally affect the City of Caruthersville:

1: He announced he will seek a third term as mayor of Caruthersville.

2: He said the city has obtained an option on 65 acres of land, with the intention of using this land as the site of a lagoon for the long-sought sewerage project.

Rogers, who has been mayor for two four-year terms, said he will run for a third term on a "Program for Progress" platform.

Turning to the sewerage project, Mayor Rogers said the 65 acres have been obtained on option from Mr. and Mrs. John Robert Bader. The land is south of the city.

The sewerage project has been in operation with state and federal authorities for the past three years.

New Pastor in Poplar Bluff

POPLAR BLUFF -- The Rev. Roger Guy has accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Christian church. He will move here this week with his family.

For seven years, Guy has served as pastor of the First Christian Church in Sterling, Colo.

One woman describing another's figure: "She has a three-orchid bosom."

---C. G. Long

(NEA Telephoto)

ENGAGEMENT PORTRAIT—The Green Room of the White House was the setting for this formal engagement portrait of Luci Baines Johnson. Wedding of the President's younger daughter and Patrick Nugent of Waukegan, Ill., is set for August.

A Dream Come True Wedding Planned for Luci Johnson

By FRANCES LEWINE

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lady Bird Johnson wants her daughter Luci to have a wedding to remember always as "a dream come true."

The First Lady spoke sentimentally and nostalgically in an exclusive interview Wednesday night about the forthcoming marriage of Luci, 18, and Airman Patrick J. Nugent, 22, of Waukegan, Ill.

"I want it to be as personal and as sentimental and as really hers and the family's as our life permits," the President's wife said feelingly.

The wedding has been set for high noon, Aug. 6, at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, the nation's largest Roman Catholic church.

Because the church can hold thousands it has been assumed that the Johnson-Nugent nuptials will be a huge, very public event in social Washington.

The guest list, Mrs. Johnson said, is yet to be compiled, but it will include only "strictly friends."

Mrs. Johnson explained that the church had been picked by Luci "because it was a church she and Pat have gone to a lot and she has an attachment for it."

The mother of the bride-to-be was asked how she felt about her daughter marrying so young.

"I think any parent would prefer a child to finish her education," she replied, "but on the other hand, I think a year of planning it and a year of being sure about it is a very reasonable approach and I do think Luci is a very feminine, domestic sort of girl for whom this will be right."

Luci has been busily planning already for her wedding and there has been much speculation about her wedding party, which is sure to include her older sister, Lynda, 21, and best friend, Beth Jenkins, daughter to former presidential adviser Walter Jenkins. A student at Marquette University. Beth introduced Pat and Luci last June.

As to whom the wedding party will include, Mrs. Johnson smilingly told the story of Luci as "a little, bitty girl" whose birthday party was to be limited to "just best friends."

"Wide-eyed Luci declared 'but mother I have so many best friends!' "

Then, Mrs. Johnson added "there are quite a few girls who have shared her life" and most likely would be included. But she wouldn't mention any names.

Mrs. Johnson discussed her daughter's wedding as she flew back home from a long day's trip to Denver, Colo., where she spoke out for more beautiful highways for the nation.

She said she plans to clear her official calendar for June and July so she can devote all the time "to my personal life--to try to put together a lovely day to remember—the dream of every girl."

In those two months, Mrs. Johnson said, the guest list will be compiled and plans made, with the help of White House social secretary Bess Abell, for the White House wedding reception honoring the newlyweds.

The wedding dress will be Luci's choice and her mother said there'll be a lot of time spent on the selection.

Luci, according to her mother, is "happy as a lark" with the big event now scheduled. And Mrs. Johnson described her younger daughter as "a sprite—and a delight."

"If we have any troubles, she comes in and cheers you up."

Nugent, now on active duty with the Air National Guard, was described by the First Lady as having "a very good leavening influence on Luci. He gets her back to her studies and to places on time. A good solid person."

Mrs. Johnson hopes the two can manage to get away on a honeymoon that will be really private.

Luci is now a freshman in Georgetown University's school of nursing and Mrs. Johnson said both she and the President "want very much for Luci to continue her education and I really think she will, though maybe not at the pace she would have if she were living at home or in a dormitory."

HEARTS ARE TRUMPS

A little kindness to another child a long time ago paid off well for me; otherwise, I might not even be here in this country today, and never know what it is to be an American.

One day a new family moved to our town in Germany. They had a little girl my age. One morning she stood in front of our class in school. As I looked at her standing there so lost and forlorn, my heart went out to her. Afer classes I asked her if she didn't want to come to my home for a visit for I know I could help her with her lessons. She accepted gladly and we became friends.

None of the other girls wanted anything to do with her because her mother ran a little fish market, and sometimes my girl friend smelled of fish. I didn't mind it at all! Two years after we graduated from the 8th grade, my friend went to America to make her home with her sister, who had sent her the ship ticket. She was to be a child's nurse in the household where her sister was the cook.

In the summer of 1912, the family she was working for took a trip to Europe, taking my friend along. As they were visiting close to our home town, the lady gave my friend two weeks off to visit her own family. Her father wrote me that she was coming, and I asked the lady I was working for to give me a weekend off to see my friend.

When we met, the first question she put to me was, "Will you come to America with me?" Gladly!" I answered. In three weeks I had to be ready to sail from Rotterdam.

Now when I look back, I can't help thinking that there were 22 girls she could have chosen from, as we were that many in our graduating class, but she told me she asked only me because I was the one who had been kind to her in school.

Elizabeth Armbruster

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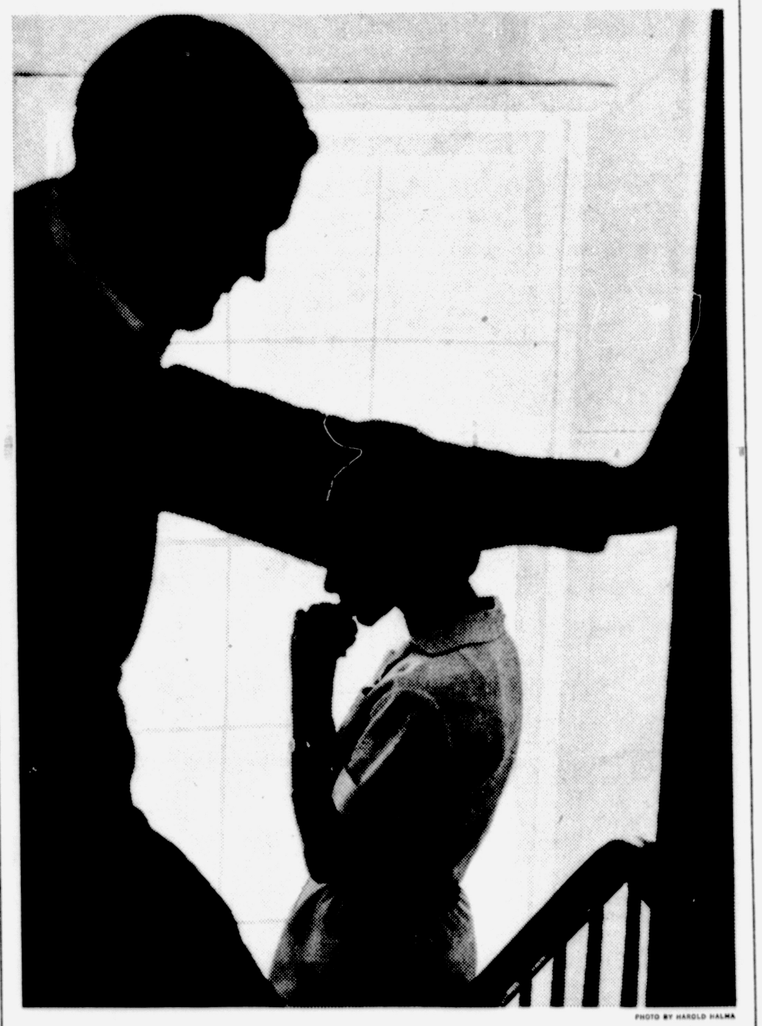

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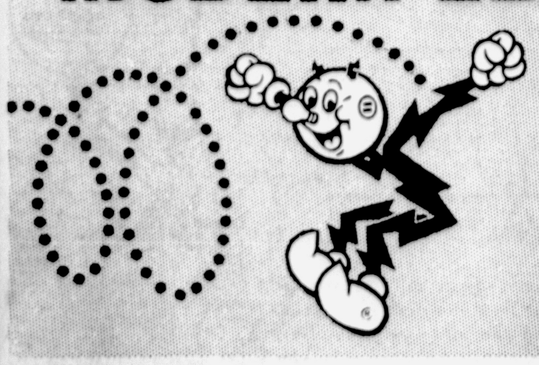

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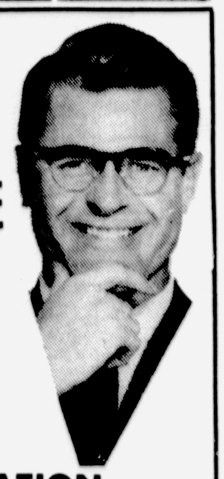

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Poor Shows Costly

By CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP TV-Radio Writer

NEW YORK -- It costs a lot of money to turn out television shows, even poor ones.

Jackie Gleason's Saturday night hour, for example, has a production budget of around $180,000 a week and the bill for the show when the cost of airtime is added, brings the tab well over $300,000.

The so-called "cheap shows" --those with $40,000 production budgets like "To Tell the Truth" and "I've Got a Secret"--build up expensively. With time costs they come to well over $100,000 per evening show.

This season's crop of hour programs have budgets ranging from around $130,000 per episode upwards. Variety shows with their needs for new sets and costumes weekly, not only run high, but do not have much re-use value. But the half-hour situation comedies, knocked out for sums ranging from $55,000 to $90,000, are like money in the bank. Not only can they be re-run during the summer season but can later be sold and resold profitably as syndicated series.

Approximately 40 per cent of the shows on the three major networks are dropped each year.

Next season, the usual need for 30-odd new series has been further reduced by CBS' decision to have two nights of feature films instead of only one, as it had this season. With NBC devoting two nights to movies, and ABC one, the public will be treated to five nights and 10 hours of films a week.

Lucille Ball, who each season flirts with the idea of quitting the weekly show grind, has once again come to terms with CBS for another season of "The Lucy Show."

Recommended weekend viewing:

Tonight -- "Sixteen in Webster Groves," CBS, 9-10, EST, documentary on teen-agers in an upper middle-class community.

Saturday -- "The Jackie Gleason Show," CBS, 6:30-7:30 p.m., 50th birthday party for the star with Milton Berle, Arthur Godfrey, Bobby Darin and Connie Francis.

Sunday -- "Issues and Answers," ABC, 12:30-1 p.m., with Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey reporting on his recent trip.

Jaycee Auction Set March 13

CHARLESTON -- The annual Charleston Jaycee radio auction will be held March 13, club officials announced today.

The auction, featuring new merchandise donated by business firms and individuals, will begin at 1 p.m.

Merchandise will be on display at the Jaycees' new headquarters in the basement of the Russell Hotel, where remote control facilities of KCHR radio will be set up to broadcast the auction.

The public is invited to bid in person at the hotel, or to telephone bids in during the broadcast.

Plan to Build Recreation Center

BLOOMFIELD -- D. L. Bess, president of the Crowley's Ridge Recreational Center, Inc., has called a special meeting of members for March 1, at 7 p.m., in the Bank of Bloomfield community room.

The meeting is for the purpose of adopting a resolution authorizing the borrowing of funds necessary for the construction of the recreational center and authorizing the execution of a deed of trust to secure the loan.

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7:30 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Tuesday Prayer Meeting and Bible Study
7:30 P.M. Thursday Young Peoples Training.

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Rev. Jimmie Edmondson
10 A.M. Sunday School
11 A.M. Morning Worship
7 P.M. Evening Worship
7 P.M. Wednesday Evening Prayer Service

ASSEMBLY OF GOD, FIRST
T. A. McDonough
310 South Kingshighway
GR 1-4649
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:45 A.M. Worship Serivce
6:00 P.M. Youth Service
7:15 P.M. Evangelistic Service
7:30 P.M. Bible Study and Prayer (Wed.)

BAPTIST, FELLOWSHIP
James Fitch, 228 Missouri
GR 1-2778
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
10:50 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Training Union
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:45 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

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Tommie Caudle, Pastor
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship Services
6:00 P.M. Christian Education
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:00 P.M. Prayer services (Wed.)

MOREHOUSE GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Henry Jordan
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship Service
7:30 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Wednesday night

BAPTIST, WEST END
J. W. Gwin, 902 Maude
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. B. T. U.
7:30 P.M. Evening Worship

BAPTIST, MURRAY LANE
C. D. Butler
807 Murray Lane GR 1-0034
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Training Union
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:45 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
Bell City, Mo.
Norris T. Pullen
10:30 A.M. Sunday School
12:00 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Y. P. W. W.
8:00 P.M. Evening Worship

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MOREHOUSE
Rev. Glen D. Bohannon
NO 7-3034
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
10:45 A.M. Worship Service
6:30 P.M. Training Union
7:30 P.M. Evening Worship
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Oral Withrow
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John Rhame
Scott and Trotter Gr 1-5751
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7:00 P.M. Evangelistic Service
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7:30 P.M. Bible Classes (Wed.)

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Clinton E. Roberson
GR 1-0672
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Training Union
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Prayer Meeting (Wed.)

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH, UNITED
Billie Butler, 338 Matthews
GR 1-3264
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
7:00 P.M. Evening worship
7:30 P.M. Youth Service (Wed.)
7:30 P.M. Bible Study (Sat.)

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Joseph H. Wagner & Willard A. Spencer, Jr.
N. New Madrid Street
GR 1-3283
8:30 A.M. Morning Worship
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BAPTIST, FIRST
James Hackney
201 S. Kingshighway
GR 1-4122
9:15 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
6:30 P.M. Training Union
7:30 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Prayer and Praise Service (Wed.)

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH, 328 North St.
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
7:30 p.m. evening worship
7:30 p.m. Wed. night youth service.
7:30 p.m. Sat. night service
Rev. Freman Parker, pastor

SIKESTON MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
R. G. Holland GR 1-3949
Cor. School and William Sts.
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:00 P.M. Wed. Mid-Week Service

BAPTIST, TEMPLE
Jaycee and Jackson
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
10:45 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. B.T.U.
6:00 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

METHODIST, WESLEY
William L. Blackard
Pine and Courtney GR 1-0384
9:30 A.M. Church School
10:45 A.M. Worship Service
6:00 P.M. MYF

SOUTH KINGSHIGHWAY CHURCH OF CHRIST
Don C. Glover
602 S. Kingshighway
GR 1-5186
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
10:40 A.M. Worship Service
6:00 P.M. Sunday night
7:30 P.M. Bible Study (Wed.)

Poor Shows Costly

By CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP TV-Radio Writer

NEW YORK -- It costs a lot of money to turn out television shows, even poor ones.

Jackie Gleason's Saturday night hour, for example, has a production budget of around $180,000 a week and the bill for the show when the cost of airtime is added, brings the tab well over $300,000.

The so-called "cheap shows" --those with $40,000 production budgets like "To Tell the Truth" and "I've Got a Secret"--build up expensively. With time costs they come to well over $100,000 per evening show.

This season's crop of hour programs have budgets ranging from around $130,000 per episode upwards. Variety shows with their needs for new sets and costumes weekly, not only run high, but do not have much re-use value. But the half-hour situation comedies, knocked out for sums ranging from $55,000 to $90,000, are like money in the bank. Not only can they be re-run during the summer season but can later be sold and resold profitably as syndicated series.

Approximately 40 per cent of the shows on the three major networks are dropped each year.

Next season, the usual need for 30-odd new series has been further reduced by CBS' decision to have two nights of feature films instead of only one, as it had this season. With NBC devoting two nights to movies, and ABC one, the public will be treated to five nights and 10 hours of films a week.

Lucille Ball, who each season flirts with the idea of quitting the weekly show grind, has once again come to terms with CBS for another season of "The Lucy Show."

Recommended weekend viewing:

Tonight -- "Sixteen in Webster Groves," CBS, 9-10, EST, documentary on teen-agers in an upper middle-class community.

Saturday -- "The Jackie Gleason Show," CBS, 6:30-7:30 p.m., 50th birthday party for the star with Milton Berle, Arthur Godfrey, Bobby Darin and Connie Francis.

Sunday -- "Issues and Answers," ABC, 12:30-1 p.m., with Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey reporting on his recent trip.

Jaycee Auction Set March 13

CHARLESTON -- The annual Charleston Jaycee radio auction will be held March 13, club officials announced today.

The auction, featuring new merchandise donated by business firms and individuals, will begin at 1 p.m.

Merchandise will be on display at the Jaycees' new headquarters in the basement of the Russell Hotel, where remote control facilities of KCHR radio will be set up to broadcast the auction.

The public is invited to bid in person at the hotel, or to telephone bids in during the broadcast.

Plan to Build Recreation Center

BLOOMFIELD -- D. L. Bess, president of the Crowley's Ridge Recreational Center, Inc., has called a special meeting of members for March 1, at 7 p.m., in the Bank of Bloomfield community room.

The meeting is for the purpose of adopting a resolution authorizing the borrowing of funds necessary for the construction of the recreational center and authorizing the execution of a deed of trust to secure the loan.

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7:30 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Tuesday Prayer Meeting and Bible Study
7:30 P.M. Thursday Young Peoples Training.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF BLODGETT, MO.
Rev. Jimmie Edmondson
10 A.M. Sunday School
11 A.M. Morning Worship
7 P.M. Evening Worship
7 P.M. Wednesday Evening Prayer Service

ASSEMBLY OF GOD, FIRST
T. A. McDonough
310 South Kingshighway
GR 1-4649
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:45 A.M. Worship Serivce
6:00 P.M. Youth Service
7:15 P.M. Evangelistic Service
7:30 P.M. Bible Study and Prayer (Wed.)

BAPTIST, FELLOWSHIP
James Fitch, 228 Missouri
GR 1-2778
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
10:50 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Training Union
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:45 P.M. Prayer Service (Wed.)

LITTLE VINE GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Matthews, Mo. Route 2
Tommie Caudle, Pastor
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship Services
6:00 P.M. Christian Education
7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
7:00 P.M. Prayer services (Wed.)

MOREHOUSE GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Henry Jordan
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship Service
7:30 P.M. Evening Worship
7:30 P.M. Wednesday night

BAPTIST, WEST END
J. W. Gwin, 902 Maude
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. B. T. U.
7:30 P.M. Evening Worship

BAPTIST, MURRAY LANE
C. D. Butler
807 Murray Lane GR 1-0034
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
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Bell City, Mo.
Norris T. Pullen
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8:00 P.M. Evening Worship

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MOREHOUSE
Rev. Glen D. Bohannon
NO 7-3034
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
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BAPTIST, FIRST
James Hackney
201 S. Kingshighway
GR 1-4122
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10:00 a.m. Sunday School
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7:30 p.m. evening worship
7:30 p.m. Wed. night youth service.
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Rev. Freman Parker, pastor

SIKESTON MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
R. G. Holland GR 1-3949
Cor. School and William Sts.
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
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BAPTIST, TEMPLE
Jaycee and Jackson
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
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METHODIST, WESLEY
William L. Blackard
Pine and Courtney GR 1-0384
9:30 A.M. Church School
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Rifling, the cutting of spiral grooves in the barrel of a firearm to impart a spin to the projectile, was invented as early as the latter half of the 15th century, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

974 Sign In Dunklin For Crops

KENNETT -- H. N. Blaylock, chairman of the Dunklin County Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Committee, has announced that, as of Feb. 23, a total of 974 farms in the county have been signed up for the 1966 upland cotton program.

This is only about 23 per cent of the cotton farms in the county, Blaylock said, and all of these will be signed under one of five programs authorized under the recently enacted Food and Agriculture Act of 1965.

To date, a total of 27,348 acres are included in the farms which have signed with the Dunklin County ASC office. Of this acreage there has been a cut-back of 5,923 acres, or about 20 per cent, which will be diverted to remain idle during the 1966 crop season for conservation purpose.

The chairman estimates that about 50 per cent of the farms included in the signup to date are under the 12.5 per cent diversion program and the other 50 per cent are under the 35 per cent diversion program.

Kitchen Seeks School Post

GIDEON -- Ercell Kitchen, jr., has made his announcement as a candidate for election as a member of the school board at the election, April 5.

He is a life-long resident of the Gideon school district and graduate of the Gideon school.

Kitchen is a member of the First Methodist church and a member of the Methodist men's club, being a past president and currently its treasurer. He is a charter member of the Gideon school parent - teacher association.

He has been associated with the Gideon Youth summer baseball program. He is secretary-treasurer of the Gideon ballpark committee.

He has been associated with the boy scout movement. He is city treasurer and a member of the city planning commission.

Kitchen is assistant cashier of the Commercial Bank of Gideon.

Official Defends Medicare Alert

KENNETT -- The war-on-poverty's medicare alert program in the Bootheel was defended by Don Thomason, former Dunklin Countian and now acting director of the regional Office of Economic Opportunity in Kansas City.

Thompson, in a letter to The Daily Dunklin Democrat in answer to a Feb. 7 editorial entitled "Bureaucratic Brainchild," said the program should prove to be of great value to many Southeast Missourians.

The OEO official said medicare alert is "not only to explain to the eligible, but to provide an informed basis on which the indigent and the illiterate can reasonably decide for themselves" the proper steps to be taken under the medicare program.

He explained, "It is basically the improverished and illiterate elderly whom medicare alert seeks to serve. You see, most of the men and women whom medicare alert personnel will contact lack the education or the ability to complete even the most rudimentary form. They need someone physically to sit down with them and, in essence, execute the form for them."

The former Dunklin countian said the median education level of persons medicare alert seeks to help is no higher than the sixth grade. He noted that the average education level in the six-county area served by the Delta Area Economic Corp. is the ninth grade.

"I would admit," Thomason said, "that many of these people have received initial notification of their medicare opportunities from the Social Security Administration, but did not return the forms sent them. Why? Many were embarrassed to admit their inability to complete the forms or they were unable to read and understand the instructions."

Thomason said the approximately 100 persons selected for Medicare Alert will be employed only until March 31, although the director and secretary will probably work a week or two later and the 10 team captain a few days before the program gets underway. He said most of the 88 aides will be 55 years of age or older and most will have earned less than $3,000 last year. "Thus," Thomason noted, "the program will do two things: One, it will employ older citizens in the low-income groups; and, two, it will carry out an advertising campaign in which knowledgeable men and women of near-comparable ages and near-comparable circumstances will be able to talk with elderly men and women who are uninformed of their rights and opportunities under the Social Security laws."

Thomason said OEO was specifically requested by the Social Security Administration to inaugurate Medicare Alert. He said war-on-poverty officials weren't looking for additional work. "Quite frankly, we need nothing -- and I mean nothing -- to make us appear busy or be busy." He noted that his staff has been working 16 to 18 hours a day, six and seven days a week, processing applications from community OEO organizations.

"I think we are performing a great service for the aged in your six-county area, throughout Missouri and throughout our 11-state region -- if you but look at the tremendous problem which exists and what we have done thus far, even at this initial stage," Thomason declared.

Tasty Tidbit

For delectable pinwheel sandwiches, use this novel way with dried beef: shred finely 1 jar (5 ounces) dried beef. Add 1 package (8 ounces) cream cheese softened with ½ cup of half and half cream and 1 tablespoon mayonnaise. Fold in ¼ cup finely chopped chutney. Spread filling on slices of white bread which have been rolled thin with a rolling pin. Roll as for jelly roll, chill thoroughly and then slice about ½-inch thick for "pinwheels."

Here and There

Award for Catholic Organization

NEW HAVEN, Conn. AP -- John W. McDevitt, supreme knight of the Knights of Columbus, Roman Catholic fraternal order, will receive a B'nai B'rith brotherhood award.

Jack G. Miller, president of Horeb Lodge of the Jewish organization, said the award was "in keeping with the spirit of the ecumenical council."

The presentation is to be made March 23.

MIDDLEBORO, Mass. AP -- A fair maid who lost her eyeglasses down a sewer found there are still gallant knights. They turned up in the town water and highway departments.

Dawn Emmons, 8, was on her way home from school when the glasses dropped from her pocket and bounced through the grating into muddy water.

A highway department work crew failed after two hours to retrieve the glasses.

Water department men who pumped out the storm drain finally handed the wet glasses to Dawn.

NEW YORK AP -- World issues will be studied and discussed at Columbia University in a new International Conference Center. The W. K. Kellogg Foundation will supply $1,511,000 toward financing a planned 15-story building to house the center.

WEST STEWARTSTOWN, N.H. AP -- Robert Burns might have thought he had a sailfish on the end of his fishing line.

But he knew better. He was ice fishing in Lake Francis, N.H.

He cut the hole larger and larger.

Finally, he hauled the beast onto the ice -- a large, dead deer.

Nine Will Go To Boys State

CHARLESTON -- Nine high school juniors from Mississippi county will attend Boys' State this year, the American Legion post announced today.

The annual citizenship training program will be held this year at Central Missouri State College, Warrensburg, June 18-25.

Representing the R-1 District will be Charles Lutz, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. "Peachy" Lutz Jr.; John Hequembourg, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hequembourg Jr.; Jon Carson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carson and Bradley J. Fenton, son of Dr. Alouise Fenton and Dr. T. P. Fenton.

Attending from the R-2 District will be Richard T. Reed Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reed; Kenton C. Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Hunter; James Stephen Hodges, son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Hodges Jr.; Terry Gene Hopgood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hopgood; and Billy Ronald Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Cooper.

QUICK QUIZ

Q—Which was the first southern state to secede from the Union in the War between the States?

A—South Carolina. Dec. 20, 1860.

Drilling on Craft Farm

CHARLESTON -- Drilling is underway on the H. B. Craft Jr. farm, approximately three miles south of Mississippi county's first deep well oil test site on Big Oak Farms.

THE MITCHELL Brothers drilling rig had been stored for several weeks at "Sawdust Corner," and was moved to the new location over the weekend. Actual drilling started Tuesday night, and by Wednesday forenoon the hole was down to a depth of approximately 500 feet. Mitchell said they were making about one foot every 90 seconds through sand and gravel.

This Craft well is a farm-out to Baron Oil Co., Chicago, from the original lease holders, Mammoth Producing Co.

Meanwhile a cable tool rig operated by Bill Terry at a Belmont field location is down to approximately 300 feet.

A similar cable tool rig which started a well on DeLaney property east of Charleston has been removed, and a modern rotary rig is expected to be installed momentarily on that location.

WORK NECESSARY to complete the first test well, Big Oak No. 1, may be authorized soon in spite of unfavorable weather and an almost impassable access road.

Time Saver

How much time is saved by roasting fresh pork loins to the newly recommended 170° F. as compared to the older accepted time of 185° F.?

When roasted at 325° F., the pork loins require five to six minutes a pound less for cooking time. Since the average pork loin roast weighs five to six pounds, this means a saving of 30 to 35 minutes.

Deviled Mushrooms

Did you know that a 2¼-ounce can of deviled ham will fill six large mushroom caps? These can be broiled (8 to 10 minutes, 3 inches from heat) and used as a garnish for lamb chops, steak, scrambled eggs or pork sausage links when you want to make the platter especially attractive.

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Mayor Corbin stated that as soon as weather permits work will start on a $27,500 building designed to incorporate the needed city offices into one unit.

The building will contain a total of 5,000 square feet with a completion date for the project set for September of this year. The building is an incorporation of the various city functions as well as the addition of a Library, Social Security room and a public meeting room totaling approximately 464 square feet.

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A 1,900 square foot portion of the building will house the Water and Street Departments. Mayor Corbin stated that the housing of the two departments under one unit will be a much needed economic move, as the Maintenance Departments now take two separate buildings and lack the needed protection for city equipment.

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The construction of the building will be by the Smith Construction Company, Bloomfield, low bidder on the project.

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BY WALTER C. PARKES

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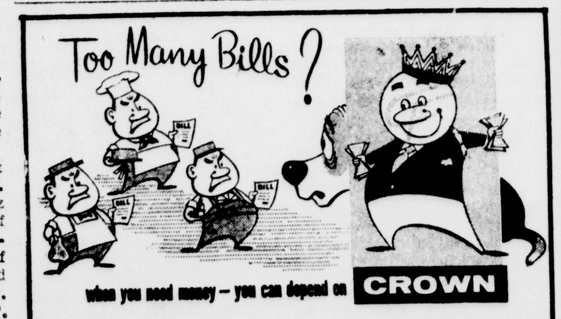

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President Johnson says the rapid growth of output in recent years, especially in 1965, has cut unemployment but also "has placed special —and temporary — strains on some of our raw material resources." He sees a current problem in matching men and jobs. But he says this can be solved if we find "new ways in which business, labor and government can cooperate to avoid inflationary wage and price movements."

Rifling

Rifling, the cutting of spiral grooves in the barrel of a firearm to impart a spin to the projectile, was invented as early as the latter half of the 15th century, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

974 Sign In Dunklin For Crops

KENNETT -- H. N. Blaylock, chairman of the Dunklin County Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Committee, has announced that, as of Feb. 23, a total of 974 farms in the county have been signed up for the 1966 upland cotton program.

This is only about 33 per cent of the cotton farms in the county, Blaylock said, and all of these will be signed under one of five programs authorized under the recently enacted Food and Agriculture Act of 1965.

To date, a total of 27,348 acres are included in the farms which have signed with the Dunklin County ASC office. Of this acreage there has been a cut-back of 5,923 acres, or about 20 per cent, which will be diverted to remain idle during the 1966 crop season for conservation purpose.

The chairman estimates that about 50 per cent of the farms included in the signup to date are under the 12.5 per cent diversion program and the other 50 per cent are under the 35 per cent diversion program.

Kitchen Seeks School Post

GIDEON -- Ercell Kitchen, jr., has made his announcement as a candidate for election as a member of the school board at the election, April 5.

He is a life-long resident of the Gideon school district and graduate of the Gideon school.

Kitchen is a member of the First Methodist church and a member of the Methodist men's club, being a past president and currently its treasurer. He is a charter member of the Gideon school parent - teacher association.

He has been associated with the Gideon Youth summer baseball program. He is secretary-treasurer of the Gideon ballpark committee.

He has been associated with the boy scout movement. He is city treasurer and a member of the city planning commission.

Kitchen is assistant cashier of the Commercial Bank of Gideon.

Official Defends Medicare Alert

KENNETT -- The war-on-poverty's medicare alert program in the Bootheel was defended by Don Thomason, former Dunklin Countian and now acting director of the regional Office of Economic Opportunity in Kansas City.

Thompson, in a letter to The Daily Dunklin Democrat in answer to a Feb. 7 editorial entitled "Bureaucratic Brainchild," said the program should prove to be of great value to many Southeast Missourians.

The OEO official said medicare alert is "not only to explain to the eligible, but to provide an informed basis on which the indigent and the illiterate can reasonably decide for themselves" the proper steps to be taken under the medicare program.

He explained, "It is basically the improverished and illiterate elderly whom medicare alert seeks to serve. You see, most of the men and women whom medicare alert personnel will contact lack the education or the ability to complete even the most rudimentary form. They need someone physically to sit down with them and, in essence, execute the form for them."

The former Dunklin countian said the median education level of persons medicare alert seeks to help is no higher than the sixth grade. He noted that the average education level in the six-county area served by the Delta Area Economic Corp. is the ninth grade.

"I would admit," Thomason said, "that many of these people have received initial notification of their medicare opportunities from the Social Security Administration, but did not return the forms sent them. Why? Many were embarrassed to admit their inability to complete the forms or they were unable to read and understand the instructions."

Thomason said the approximately 100 persons selected for Medicare Alert will be employed only until March 31, although the director and secretary will probably work a week or two later and the 10 team captain a few days before the program gets underway. He said most of the 88 aides will be 55 years of age or older and most will have earned less than $3,000 last year. "Thus," Thomason noted, "the program will do two things: One, it will employ older citizens in the low-income groups; and, two, it will carry out an advertising campaign in which knowledgeable men and women of near-comparable ages and near-comparable circumstances will be able to talk with elderly men and women who are uninformed of their rights and opportunities under the Social Security laws."

Thomason said OEO was specifically requested by the Social Security Administration to inaugurate Medicare Alert. He said war-on-poverty officials weren't looking for additional work. "Quite frankly, we need nothing -- and I mean nothing -- to make us appear busy or be busy." He noted that his staff has been working 16 to 18 hours a day, six and seven days a week, processing applications from community OEO organizations.

"I think we are performing a great service for the aged in your six-county area, throughout Missouri and throughout our 11-state region -- if you but look at the tremendous problem which exists and what we have done thus far, even at this initial stage," Thomason declared.

Tasty Tidbit

For delectable pinwheel sandwiches, use this novel way with dried beef: shred finely 1 jar (5 ounces) dried beef. Add 1 package (8 ounces) cream cheese softened with ½ cup of half and half cream and 1 tablespoon mayonnaise. Fold in ¼ cup finely chopped chutney. Spread filling on slices of white bread which have been rolled thin with a rolling pin. Roll as for jelly roll, chill thoroughly and then slice about ½-inch thick for "pinwheels."

Here and There

Award for Catholic Organization

NEW HAVEN, Conn. AP -- John W. McDevitt, supreme knight of the Knights of Columbus, Roman Catholic fraternal order, will receive a B'nai B'rith brotherhood award.

Jack G. Miller, president of Horeb Lodge of the Jewish organization, said the award was "in keeping with the spirit of the ecumenical council."

The presentation is to be made March 23.

MIDDLEBORO, Mass. AP -- A fair maid who lost her eyeglasses down a sewer found there are still gallant knights. They turned up in the town water and highway departments.

Dawn Emmons, 8, was on her way home from school when the glasses dropped from her pocket and bounced through the grating into muddy water.

A highway department work crew failed after two hours to retrieve the glasses.

Water department men who pumped out the storm drain finally handed the wet glasses to Dawn.

NEW YORK AP -- World issues will be studied and discussed at Columbia University in a new International Conference Center. The W. K. Kellogg Foundation will supply $1,511,000 toward financing a planned 15-story building to house the center.

WEST STEWARTSTOWN, N.H. AP -- Robert Burns might have thought he had a sailfish on the end of his fishing line.

But he knew better. He was ice fishing in Lake Francis, N.H.

He cut the hole larger and larger.

Finally, he hauled the beast onto the ice -- a large, dead deer.

Drilling on Craft Farm

CHARLESTON -- Drilling is underway on the H. B. Craft Jr. farm, approximately three miles south of Mississippi county's first deep well oil test site on Big Oak Farms.

THE MITCHELL Brothers drilling rig had been stored for several weeks at "Sawdust Corner," and was moved to the new location over the weekend. Actual drilling started Tuesday night, and by Wednesday forenoon the hole was down to a depth of approximately 500 feet. Mitchell said they were making about one foot every 90 seconds through sand and gravel.

This Craft well is a farm-out to Baron Oil Co., Chicago, from the original lease holders, Mammoth Producing Co.

Meanwhile a cable tool rig operated by Bill Terry at a Belmont field location is down to approximately 300 feet.

A similar cable tool rig which started a well on DeLaney property east of Charleston has been removed, and a modern rotary rig is expected to be installed momentarily on that location.

WORK NECESSARY to complete the first test well, Big Oak No. 1, may be authorized soon in spite of unfavorable weather and an almost impassable access road.

Time Saver

How much time is saved by roasting fresh pork loins to the newly recommended 170° F. as compared to the older accepted time of 185° F.?

When roasted at 325° F., the pork loins require five to six minutes a pound less for cooking time. Since the average pork loin roast weighs five to six pounds, this means a saving of 30 to 35 minutes.

Deviled Mushrooms

Did you know that a 2¼-ounce can of deviled ham will fill six large mushroom caps? These can be broiled (8 to 10 minutes, 3 inches from heat) and used as a garnish for lamb chops, steak, scrambled eggs or pork sausage links when you want to make the platter especially attractive.

Bloomfield Will Build City Hall

BLOOMFIELD -- Plans were announced this week by Bloomfield mayor, Alvin Corbin, of the proposed construction of a new city hall.

Mayor Corbin stated that as soon as weather permits work will start on a $27,500 building designed to incorporate the needed city offices into one unit.

The building will contain a total of 5,000 square feet with a completion date for the project set for September of this year. The building is an incorporation of the various city functions as well as the addition of a Library, Social Security room and a public meeting room totaling approximately 464 square feet.

The main entrance of the building will face south with a separate entrance to the Library. The main lobby will house the State License Bureau as well as a City Collector's office. A special room has been reserved for the City Council Chambers, with a City Clerk's office adjoining.

A 1,900 square foot portion of the building will house the Water and Street Departments. Mayor Corbin stated that the housing of the two departments under one unit will be a much needed economic move, as the Maintenance Departments now take two separate buildings and lack the needed protection for city equipment.

The lower portion of the building has been designed to house the Fire Equipment and two garages have been reserved for expansion of the fire department, due to traffic congestion at the old location being a major problem at the present time.

The construction of the building will be by the Smith Construction Company, Bloomfield, low bidder on the project.

BARBS

BY WALTER C. PARKES

After Florida's bad winter, citrus fruit will make presents for that man who has everything next Christmas.

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No woman will admit that her operation was nothing to speak of.

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What you don't know won't

hurt you—unless it's the rules of safe driving.

Nine Will Go To Boys State

CHARLESTON -- Nine high school juniors from Mississippi county will attend Boys' State this year, the American Legion post announced today.

The annual citizenship training program will be held this year at Central Missouri State College, Warrensburg, June 18-25.

Representing the R-1 District will be Charles Lutz, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. "Peachy" Lutz Jr.; John Hequembourg, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hequembourg Jr.; Jon Carson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carson and Bradley J. Fenton, son of Dr. Alouise Fenton and Dr. T. P. Fenton.

Attending from the R-2 District will be Richard T. Reed Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reed; Kenton C. Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Hunter; James Stephen Hodges, son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Hodges Jr.; Terry Gene Hopgood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hopgood; and Billy Ronald Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Cooper.

QUICK QUIZ

Q—Which was the first southern state to secede from the Union in the War between the States?

A—South Carolina, Dec. 20, 1860.

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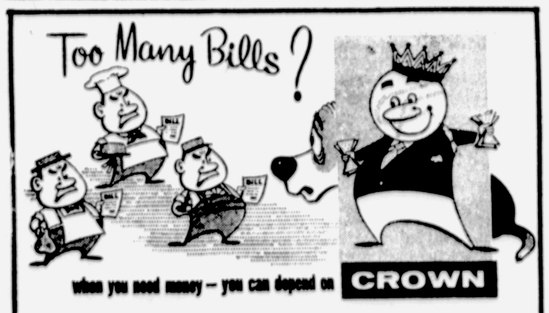

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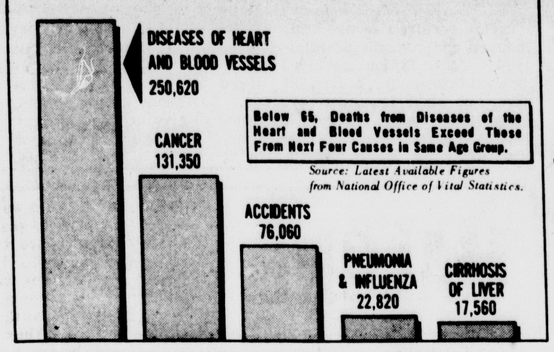
Leading Causes of Death in U.S. Below Age 65



DISEASES OF HEART AND BLOOD VESSELS are described by Dr. Paul Dudley White, a founder of the American Heart Association, as "the epidemic of the twentieth century." Chart shows they are not an exclusive liability of the aged but instead the leading cause of death among persons below the age of 65. To speed the fight against these diseases, give generously when a Heart Sunday volunteer calls at your home for your Heart Fund gift.

50 Cotton Producers To Be Cited

CARUTHERSVILLE -- Fifty of Pemiscot County's top cotton producers will be honored at a banquet March 3, at 6:30 p.m. in the community room of the First State Bank of Caruthersville.

This Cotton Honor roll banquet is sponsored annually by Caruthersville Production Credit Assn., the National Bank of Caruthersville, the First State Bank of Caruthersville, Pemiscot County cotton ginners and farm supply dealers, Caruthersville Chamber of Commerce and the Caruthersville merchants.

An engraved trophy will be presented to the top producer with more than 50 acres of cotton entered; to the top producer with less than 50 acres of cotton and to the top junior producer.

Yields are determined by using actual gin records and verifying acreages with the ASC. Each of the top 50 producers will be presented an engraved certificate indicating his production. He will also receive a gift of merchandise donated by Caruthersville merchants. Each winner is urged to bring a guest.

The top 50 cotton producers are:

Adults: John Alexander of Pascola, H. C. Boyd of Caruthersville, Burley Bradford of Bragg City, J. W. Bradford of Hayti, Russell Bradford of Bragg City, Jerry Brown of Cooter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown of Caruthersville, Gary Burton of Braggadocio, L. J. Coble of Caruthersville, James Cook of Hayti;

Carl and D. D. Dodd of Caruthersville, Alvin Dunavant of Caruthersville, L. D. Fitch of Bragg City, J. M. Fitzmaurice of Caruthersville, J. C. Gallaher of Braggadocio, Mon T. Grays of Bragg City, Jesse Horton of Steele, Claude Howard of Caruthersville, Edwin J. Huffman of Hayti, Orben Kelley of Caruthersville, Chip F. Lewis of Hayti, Miles and Martha Brent of Braggadocio;

Miles and Mary Curtner of Braggadocio, Donald Long of Holland, Don Lossing of Caruthersville, Bob McCulloch of Caruthersville, Starr McDaniel of Hayti, Don Medlin of Caruthersville, C. G. Moss of Steele, C. B. Nance of Steele, Ernest Noel of Hayti;

Leonard Pritchard and Louetta Speight of Hayti and Caruthersville, Ralph Sherwood of Steele, James T. Streets of Caruthersville, Carl and William Suddarth of Hayti, George, Betty and Pearl Swan of Portageville, Jacob Van Dyke of Hayti, J. M. Walker of Steele, and R. L. Ward of Caruthersville.

Junior honor roll, Harold Bradford of Bragg City, Glen Brooks of Hayti, William Conley of Kennett, Jackie Fraze of Bragg City, John Graue of Bragg City, Jerry Pritchard of Hayti, Billy Vaughn of Bragg City, Wayne Vaughn of Braggadocio, Larry Whitfield of Caruthersville and Randy Wingfield of Steele.

The people of modern Brazil are considered the descendants of the ancient Lusitanians.

Legal Notices

Required by law to inform citizens of matters affecting them or their property.

School Director Announcement

We are authorized to announce as a candidate subject to the will of the voters in the R-6 School District, of the School Election, on Tuesday, April 15th, 1966:

For Director:

Lee Austin Bowman, 4 Bel Air.

Dr. A. D. Martin, 902 Moore Ave.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Edward D. Vanover and Nedria E. Vanover, his wife, by a certain Deed of Trust dated the 18 day of July, 1962, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott, and the State of Missouri, in Book 132, Pages 107-110, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

Lot Ten (10) in Block Three (3) of the Prairie Addition to Sikeston, in Scott County, Missouri, as per plan thereof recorded in Plat Book 7, Page 2 and dedication thereof recorded in Book 130, Page 172.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Promissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, on the 22 day of April, 1965, Gerald E. Seitz and Gloria A. Seitz, his wife, assumed and agreed to pay the debt secured by said Deed of Trust, and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Main Front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on March 1, 1966, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Roberts T. Williams,
Trustee
111-117-123-129

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED

STATE OF MISSOURI,)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SCOTT)

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI

In the estate of Henry F. Layton, Sr., Deceased, Estate No. 3138

To all persons interested in the estate of Henry F. Layton, Sr., decedent:

On the 2nd day of February, 1966 Henry F. Layton, Jr., was appointed the administrator of the estate of Henry F. Layton, Sr., decedent, by the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri. The business address of the administrator is 811 Vernon, Sikeston, Missouri, whose telephone number is GR 1-3289 and his attorney is Harry C. Blanton of Blanton, Blanton, and Rice, whose business address is 201 S. New Madrid, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is GR 1-1000.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within nine months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

Date of first publication February 4th, 1966.

Almaretta Huber,
Clerk,
Probate Court of
Scott County, Missouri
(111-117-123-129)

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce as a candidate subject to the will of the voters of Scott County in the Democratic Primary Election on Tuesday, August 2nd, 1966;

COLLECTOR
C. E. FELKER,
Sikeston, Mo.

HAROLD E. HAHN,
Benton, Mo.

RECORDER
JOHN J. BOLLINGER,
Benton, Mo.

Adults Can Finish High School Course

CHARLESTON -- Adults in Mississippi County who failed to finish high school will have a chance, starting Monday, to get a Missouri High School Equivalence Certificate.

The R-1 District, assisted by a committee of county citizens, will conduct the county - wide program for people 20 years of age and older who have completed the eighth grade but who failed to complete high school.

The organization meeting for this class will be held at Charleston high school at 7 p.m. Monday. Superintendent W. R. Pierce Jr. said it is important that all persons who wish to enroll in the program be at the meeting Monday night. Decisions will be made them as to when and where classes will meet.

The high school equivalence certificate is issued by the Missouri department of education to persons who make satisfactory scores on the general educational development tests.

The certificate is not a high school diploma, but is accepted by many employers and all of the military services as being equivalent to a diploma.

Many colleges accept the certificate as evidence that the person meets the minimum educational requirements for admission to college.

Dr. Pierce said many persons with the certificates have been able to get jobs, to win promotions, and to enter schools which would not have been open to them without the certificate.

As planned, the program will consist of classes meeting four hours per week for 18 weeks. Instruction will deal with subjects which will help the enrolees make satisfactory scores on the G. E. D. test.

Funds for the program are provided by the federal Office of Economic Opportunity, with 10 per cent coming from the local school district.

Campbell Files For School Board

GIDEON -- Jack Campbell announces his candidacy for re-election to the board of education of the Gideon school district. The election will be held April 5.

Mr. Campbell is a long-time resident of Gideon and was educated and graduated in the Gideon schools.

He is a member of the Crossroads Assembly of God church.

Mr. Campbell is married and has one son who is in the kindergarten class in the Gideon public schools.

Their Calls

The pheasant crows, but the ruffed grouse, which often is wrongly called a pheasant, drums by beating its wings against the ground.

HERE THEY COME!

Grandma and Granddad arrive next Monday for a three-week visit in your favorite humor panel, THE FAMILY CIRCUS.

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1-SLEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT -- Sleeping room, 538 Vernon St. Phone GR 1-5476 or GR 1-2500. 12-31-tf

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ROOM for rent. Phone GR 1-0726. 2-1-tf

FOR RENT--Light housekeeping room. All utilities furnished. 210 Ruth Street. GR 1-4182. 2-19-tf

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FOR RENT--Sleeping room. GR 1-1837. 2-19-tf

2-FURNISHED APARTMENTS

FOR RENT--3 room furnished apartment. Utilities paid. GR 1-2772. 2-19-tf

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FOR RENT--Furnished apartment. Adults. Call GR 1-0416. 2-19-tf

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FURNISHED APTS -- Modern close in utilities furnished Tel. GR 1-5702 or GR 1-9276.

FOR RENT -- Furnished apartment. Adults only. Phone GR 1-5707. 5-18-tf

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FOR RENT -- Furnished apartment. 538 Vernon, $65. Adults only. Utilities paid. Phone GR 1-5476 or GR 1-2500. 2-14-tf

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FOR RENT -- Two room furnished apartment. Phone GR 1-5874; 411 Prosperity. 2-22-tf

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FOR RENT--Nice apartment. Furnished. Adults. 535 N. Ranney. GR 1-0568. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT -- 3 Room furnished apartment. 304 S. West St. GR 1-4150. 2-24-3t

2A-UNFURNISHED APARTMENTS

FOR RENT -- 3 room unfurnished duplex. Adults preferred. Call GR 1-9436 after 6 p.m. 2-3-tf

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3-HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT--Newly decorated 2 bedroom house. $60. monthly. Call GR 1-3195. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT--2 bedroom house $55. monthly. Available March 1. GR 1-2870 or GR 1-1269. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT--5 room house, bath utility area. 307 Ruth. GR 1-3047. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT--Clean 2 bedroom house, automatic gas furnace, 804 Wayne St. Phone GR 1-5652. 2-25-2t

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FOR RENT--2 bedroom house, 418 Harris St. $55. per month. GR 1-0143. 2-23-tf

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HOUSE for rent. Call GR 1-0588 after 5 p.m. 2-21-tf

FOR RENT -- Small house. Furnished. Quite nice. Adults only. GR 1-4059 or GR 1-5839. 2-24-tf

4-MISC. FOR RENT

FOR LEASE -- By major Oil company. Modern 2 bay service station. Small initial investment. Paid training. Call GR 1-4541, Sikeston. 2-1-tf

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FOR RENT--Warehouse space. From 50 ft. to 5,000 ft. (34 x 36 on highway 60 East.) Call Art Ziegenhorn. GR 1-1424. 11-10-26t

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NEED CASH?
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Bob or Larry
GR 1-1808
CROWN FINANCE
1-26-tf

FOR RENT--New modern 2 bedroom mobile home, completely furnished with central air conditioning. $85.00 per month. Located 2 miles south of Bertrand. Apply to Ponder Chevrolet Buick Company, Charleston, Mo. 2-23-3t

5-MISC. FOR SALE

FOR SALE -- Nice Frigidaire refrigerator and television Call GR 1-2772. 1-19-tf

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"Repossessed furniture and appliances. Some new, used and abused." GR 1-2078. 1-27-tf

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FOR SALE -- Pecan and shade trees. Shrubs of all kinds. Goode's Nursery, GR 1-3119. 1-4-tf

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Used Furniture
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BRIGHT'S FURNITURE
Highway 60 West - GR 1-3995. 1-20-tf

FOR SALE -- Thin aluminum plates. 24" x 36" 15 cents each. The Daily Sikeston Standard. 10-17-tf

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Welders
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Welding Equipment, parts & Gases.
WEBB ELECTRIC SUPPLY
Highway 61 South
Sikeston
12-13-tf

NEED CASH?
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CROWN FINANCE
1-26-tf

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FOR SALE -- Princeton Player piano. GR 1-3290. 2-22-6t

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7-12-tf

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FOR SALE -- Good wringer washer with pump and timer. $35.00. Call GR 1-2568. 2-25-3t

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REAL ESTATE
Sikeston, GR 1-9109

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TO BUY - SELL OR TRADE
SEE US!

We can sell or trade your property quicker because we give personal service, good advertising and show by appointment.

4 BEDROOM FRAME -- Large combined living and dining room with fireplace. Nice kitchen, 2 full baths, redwood fenced backyard. Nice patio, carport and storage. One air conditioner. Gas central heating. Good location. Take time to see this one.

3 BEDROOM FRAME -- Pretty kitchen, living room, nice family room, large bath, fenced backyard, utility room, carport with storage. Gas central heating. This home is in excellent condition.

3 BEDROOM FRAME -- Living room, nice kitchen, bath, utility room, garage, large lot, in good condition. Make small downpayment and assume present loan. Payments only $47.87 taxes and ins. included. Good investment property.

77 ACRES CLOSE TO TOWN -- 3 Bedroom modern home, newly decorated. Double carport, barn, grain bin, good fencing, 10.7 acres cotton allotment. Terms available.

CATHEY REAL ESTATE
(Formerly Waldman Real Estate)
217 S. Main
OFFICE GR 1-2131
HERB CATHEY - Broker -- Jeanette Waldman, Sales
Res. GR 1-5471 Res. GR 1-1863

WANTED--Part time secretary: Experienced typist, familiar with bookkeeping and payroll. Please list references. State name, age, address, phone number, expectant salary, working hours preferred. Write EB Box 100, c/o Daily Sikeston Standard. 2-25-6t

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PRESSMAN wanted for Letterpress printing. Must be experienced. 205 S. New Madrid, Sikeston, Mo. 1-10-tf

12A-SALESMEN WANTED

$17,000 PLUS REGULAR CASH BONUS for man over 40 in Sikeston area. Take short auto trips to contact customers. Air mail. K. S. Brooks, Vice Pres., Texas Refinery Corp., Box 711, Fort Worth 1, Texas. 2-22-6t

13-LOST & FOUND

FOUND--Beagle hound south of Miner. Owner may have by calling GR 1-4624 or after 5:30 GR 1-0544, and pay for ad. 2-23-3t

17-SPECIAL SERVICES

HELPEE SELFEE
Coin Laundry
707 Smith Street
Have just installed all new washers.
20 lb. Double load washers.
10 lb. Top Load washers.
10¢ & 25¢ Dryers
Open 7 a.m. to 10 p.m.
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Leslie Insurance Building
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2-16-tf

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Refrigeration - Air conditioning Electrical Work.
Residential - Commercial - Industrial
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GR 1-4790 - GR 1-2475
320 Illinois St., Sikeston, Mo.
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C. D. Wright
Lilbourn, Missouri
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1-27-28t

FULLER BRUSH
GR 1-9221
5-1-tf

Federal and State Income Tax forms computed. 817 Pine--GR 1-4812. 1-17-tf

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INCOME
TAX SERVICE
Accurate & efficient
Ronnie Launius -- NO 7-3201
Ed Zimmer -- GR 1-0386

19-PETS

FOR SALE--Poodles. Silver miniatures. AKC. 4 months-shots. Call GR 1-3951. 2-25-2t

20-FEED & SEED

FOR SALE -- Alfalfa hay. $22.50 per ton. Call MA 4-2702, Dexter, Missouri. 2-22-5t

21-NEW & USED CARS

FOR SALE--1965 Chevelle 4 door. 16,000 miles. See at Wade's Body Shop or call GR 1-1151 after 6 p.m. 2-25-3t

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FOR SALE -- 1962 Volkswagen. Canvas top. Call after 6 p.m., GR 1-2215. 2-24-3t

23-FARM MACHINERY

FOR SALE -- 62A Gleaner combine, corn header, perfect condition. Call AV 3-5815 or MA 4-5160. 2-22-12t

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24-LOANS & INSURANCE

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KEY LOAN CO.
GR 1-0428
"WE LIKE TO SAY YES"

Good Old Joe Biggest MOBILE HOME DEALER in Charleston
Special $3,795
Completely furnished. Coppertone kitchen.
For Month of Feb. & March
With Small Down Payment.
Open Sundays 1:00 to 5 - 2 Miles East of Charleston
Call MU 3-3311 or see
Joe Galemore Auto & Mobile Home Sale
Hiwy. 61 East, Charleston, Mo.

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GR 1-2774
BOB NOWELL Broker
RUSSELL ROSS GR 1-555 nites

ALCORN REAL ESTATE
232 South Main

LOOKING FOR A BARGAIN? -- Close to new school, 2 bedroom frame, living room, dining room, kitchen, bath, gas heat, paved street, make down payment and assume present loan. $47.00 per month. Total price $6,000.

NEAT AS A PIN -- 2 Bedroom frame, den, nice cabinets and disposal in kitchen, breakfast room, new carpeting in living room, central gas heat, large utility room, H.W. floors, $300 down, $75.00 monthly, total price $9,500.

GRACIOUS LIVING - MODERATE COST -- In this three bedroom frame, paneled family room, living room and all bedrooms carpeted, lovely kitchen with dishwasher, disposal, pantry, central gas heating, utility room, carport. Shown by appointment only.

NEW -- 3 Bedroom brick, lovely built-in kitchen, living room and bedrooms carpeted, washer and dryer hook-up, central gas heat, tile bath, large closets, carport with storage, paved street. Wonderful location.

FARMS

220 ACRES -- Modern house with basement, barn, 53 Acre corn base, fenced and cross fenced, good permanent pasture, adjoining blacktop highway, $250.00 per acre.

133 ACRES -- 8 Room house, all open land, $20,000. Good terms available, only $7,000 down.

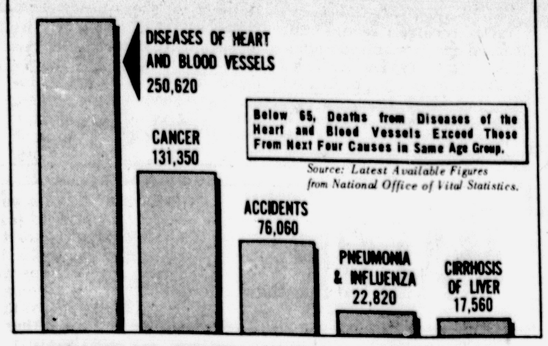
128 ACRES -- Very good productive soil, near Oran, modern house, barn, machine shed, 12 acre cotton - 34 acre corn and 12 acre wheat base. Priced right.

87 ACRES -- 1 1/2 miles from the city limits of Sikeston. Modern house, barn and other out buildings. A very good small farm.

WE ALSO HAVE LARGER FARMS FOR SALE.

ELLIS GR 1-5162 JUANITA GR 1-1269 DARRELL GR 1-2870
DAN LIMBAUGH GR 1-5051 -- GLORIA KIEHNE GR 1-5543

Leading Causes of Death in U.S. Below Age 65



DISEASES OF HEART AND BLOOD VESSELS are described by Dr. Paul Dudley White, a founder of the American Heart Association, as "the epidemic of the twentieth century." Chart shows they are not an exclusive liability of the aged but instead the leading cause of death among persons below the age of 65. To speed the fight against these diseases, give generously when a Heart Sunday volunteer calls at your home for your Heart Fund gift.

50 Cotton Producers To Be Cited

CARUTHERSVILLE -- Fifty of Pemiscot County's top cotton producers will be honored at a banquet March 3, at 6:30 p.m. in the community room of the First State Bank of Caruthersville.

This Cotton Honor roll banquet is sponsored annually by Caruthersville Production Credit Assn., the National Bank of Caruthersville, the First State Bank of Caruthersville, Pemiscot County cotton ginners and farm supply dealers, Caruthersville Chamber of Commerce and the Caruthersville merchants.

An engraved trophy will be presented to the top producer with more than 50 acres of cotton entered; to the top producer with less than 50 acres of cotton and to the top junior producer.

Yields are determined by using actual gin records and verifying acreages with the ASC. Each of the top 50 producers will be presented an engraved certificate indicating his production. He will also receive a gift of merchandise donated by Caruthersville merchants. Each winner is urged to bring a guest.

The top 50 cotton producers are:

Adults: John Alexander of Pascola, H. C. Boyd of Caruthersville, Burley Bradford of Bragg City, J. W. Bradford of Hayti, Russell Bradford of Bragg City, Jerry Brown of Cooter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown of Caruthersville, Gary Burton of Braggadocio, L. J. Coble of Caruthersville, James Cook of Hayti;

Carl and D. D. Dodd of Caruthersville, Alvin Dunavant of Caruthersville, L. D. Fitch of Bragg City, J. M. Fitzmaurice of Caruthersville, J. C. Gallaher of Braggadocio, Mon T. Grays of Bragg City, Jesse Horton of Steele, Claude Howard of Caruthersville, Edwin J. Huffman of Hayti, Orben Kelley of Caruthersville, Chip F. Lewis of Hayti, Miles and Martha Brent of Braggadocio;

Miles and Mary Curtner of Braggadocio, Donald Long of Holland, Don Lossing of Caruthersville, Bob McCulloch of Caruthersville, Starr McDaniel of Hayti, Don Medlin of Caruthersville, C. G. Moss of Steele, C. B. Nance of Steele, Ernest Noel of Hayti;

Leonard Pritchard and Louetta Speight of Hayti and Caruthersville, Ralph Sherwood of Steele, James T. Streets of Caruthersville, Carl and William Suddarth of Hayti, George, Betty and Pearl Swan of Portageville, Jacob Van Dyke of Hayti, J. M. Walker of Steele, and R. L. Ward of Caruthersville.

Junior honor roll, Harold Bradford of Bragg City, Glen Brooks of Hayti, William Conley of Kennett, Jackie Fraze of Bragg City, John Graue of Bragg City, Jerry Pritchard of Hayti, Billy Vaughn of Bragg City, Wayne Vaughn of Braggadocio, Larry Whitfield of Caruthersville and Randy Wingfield of Steele.

The people of modern Brazil are considered the descendants of the ancient Lusitanians.

Legal Notices

Required by law to inform citizens of matters affecting them or their property.

School Director Announcement

We are authorized to announce as a candidate subject to the will of the voters in the R-6 School District, of the School Election, on Tuesday, April 15th, 1966:

For Director:

Lee Austin Bowman, 4 Bel Air.

Dr. A. D. Martin, 902 Moore Ave.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Edward D. Vanover and Nedria E. Vanover, his wife, by a certain Deed of Trust dated the 18 day of July, 1962, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott, and the State of Missouri, in Book 132, Pages 107-110, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

Lot Ten (10) in Block Three (3) of the Prairie Addition to Sikeston, in Scott County, Missouri, as per plan thereof recorded in Plat Book 7, Page 2 and dedication thereof recorded in Book 130, Page 172.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Promissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, on the 22 day of April, 1965, Gerald E. Seitz and Gloria A. Seitz, his wife, assumed and agreed to pay the debt secured by said Deed of Trust, and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Main Front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on March 1, 1966, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Roberts T. Williams,
Trustee
111-117-123-129

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED

STATE OF MISSOURI,)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SCOTT)

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI

In the estate of Henry F. Layton, Sr., Deceased, Estate No. 3138

To all persons interested in the estate of Henry F. Layton, Sr., decedent:

On the 2nd day of February, 1966 Henry F. Layton, Jr., was appointed the administrator of the estate of Henry F. Layton, Sr., decedent, by the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri. The business address of the administrator is 811 Vernon, Sikeston, Missouri, whose telephone number is GR 1-3289 and his attorney is Harry C. Blanton of Blanton, Blanton, and Rice, whose business address is 201 S. New Madrid, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is GR 1-1000.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within nine months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

Date of first publication February 4th, 1966.

Almaretta Huber,
Clerk,
Probate Court of
Scott County, Missouri
(111-117-123-129)

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce as a candidate subject to the will of the voters of Scott County in the Democratic Primary Election on Tuesday, August 2nd, 1966;

COLLECTOR
C. E. FELKER,
Sikeston, Mo.

HAROLD E. HAHN,
Benton, Mo.

RECORDER
JOHN J. BOLLINGER,
Benton, Mo.

Adults Can Finish High School Course

CHARLESTON -- Adults in Mississippi County who failed to finish high school will have a chance, starting Monday, to get a Missouri High School Equivalence Certificate.

The R-1 District, assisted by a committee of county citizens, will conduct the county - wide program for people 20 years of age and older who have completed the eighth grade but who failed to complete high school.

The organization meeting for this class will be held at Charleston high school at 7 p.m. Monday. Superintendent W. R. Pierce Jr. said it is important that all persons who wish to enroll in the program be at the meeting Monday night. Decisions will be made them as to when and where classes will meet.

The high school equivalence certificate is issued by the Missouri department of education to persons who make satisfactory scores on the general educational development tests.

The certificate is not a high school diploma, but is accepted by many employers and all of the military services as being equivalent to a diploma.

Many colleges accept the certificate as evidence that the person meets the minimum educational requirements for admission to college.

Dr. Pierce said many persons with the certificates have been able to get jobs, to win promotions, and to enter schools which would not have been open to them without the certificate.

As planned, the program will consist of classes meeting four hours per week for 18 weeks. Instruction will deal with subjects which will help the enrolees make satisfactory scores on the G. E. D. test.

Funds for the program are provided by the federal Office of Economic Opportunity, with 10 per cent coming from the local school district.

Campbell Files For School Board

GIDEON -- Jack Campbell announces his candidacy for re-election to the board of education of the Gideon school district. The election will be held April 5.

Mr. Campbell is a long-time resident of Gideon and was educated and graduated in the Gideon schools.

He is a member of the Crossroads Assembly of God church.

Mr. Campbell is married and has one son who is in the kindergarten class in the Gideon public schools.

Their Calls

The pheasant crows, but the ruffed grouse, which often is wrongly called a pheasant, drums by beating its wings against the ground.

HERE THEY COME!

Grandma and Granddad arrive next Monday for a three-week visit in your favorite humor panel, THE FAMILY CIRCUS.

Don't miss the fun and excitement with this hilarious family. Look for

THE FAMILY CIRCLE
appearing every day in
The Daily Standard

1-SLEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT -- Sleeping room, 538 Vernon St. Phone GR 1-5476 or GR 1-2500. 12-31-tf

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ROOM for rent. Phone GR 1-0726. 2-1-tf

FOR RENT--Light housekeeping room. All utilities furnished. 210 Ruth Street. GR 1-4182. 2-19-tf

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FOR RENT--Sleeping room. GR 1-1837. 2-19-tf

2-FURNISHED APARTMENTS

FOR RENT--3 room furnished apartment. Utilities paid. GR 1-2772. 2-19-tf

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FOR RENT--Furnished apartment. Adults. Call GR 1-0416. 2-19-tf

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FURNISHED APTS -- Modern close in utilities furnished Tel. GR 1-5702 or GR 1-9276.

FOR RENT -- Furnished apartment. Adults only. Phone GR 1-5707. 5-18-tf

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FOR RENT -- Furnished apartment. 538 Vernon, $65. Adults only. Utilities paid. Phone GR 1-5476 or GR 1-2500. 2-14-tf

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FOR RENT -- Two room furnished apartment. Phone GR 1-5874; 411 Prosperity. 2-22-tf

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FOR RENT--Nice apartment. Furnished. Adults. 535 N. Ranney. GR 1-0568. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT -- 3 Room furnished apartment. 304 S. West St. GR 1-4150. 2-24-3t

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2A-UNFURNISHED APARTMENTS

FOR RENT -- 3 room unfurnished duplex. Adults preferred. Call GR 1-9436 after 6 p.m. 2-3-tf

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NOW RENTING

Brand new 2 bedroom units.
KAY APARTMENTS
Sikeston's newest
GR 1-3626 GR 1-4800

FOR RENT -- 5 Room duplex apartment. Modern. See at 310 W. Gladys. Call GR 1-3652. 2-24-tf

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3-HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT--Newly decorated 2 bedroom house. $60. monthly. Call GR 1-3195. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT--2 bedroom house $55. monthly. Available March 1. GR 1-2870 or GR 1-1269. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT--5 room house, bath utility area. 307 Ruth. GR 1-3047. 2-23-tf

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FOR RENT--Clean 2 bedroom house, automatic gas furnace, 804 Wayne St. Phone GR 1-5652. 2-25-2t

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FOR RENT--2 bedroom house, 418 Harris St. $55. per month. GR 1-0143. 2-23-tf

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HOUSE for rent. Call GR 1-0588 after 5 p.m. 2-21-tf

FOR RENT -- Small house. Furnished. Quite nice. Adults only. GR 1-4059 or GR 1-5839. 2-24-tf

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4-MISC. FOR RENT

FOR LEASE -- By major Oil company. Modern 2 bay service station. Small initial investment. Paid training. Call GR 1-4541, Sikeston. 2-1-tf

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FOR RENT--Warehouse space. From 50 ft. to 5,000 ft. (34 x 36 on highway 60 East.) Call Art Ziegenhorn. GR 1-1424. 11-10-26t

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FOR RENT--New modern 2 bedroom mobile home, completely furnished with central air conditioning. $85.00 per month. Located 2 miles south of Bertrand. Apply to Ponder Chevrolet Buick Company, Charleston, Mo. 2-23-3t

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5-MISC. FOR SALE

FOR SALE -- Nice Frigidaire refrigerator and television Call GR 1-2772. 1-19-tf

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"Repossessed furniture and appliances. Some new, used and abused." GR 1-2078. 1-27-tf

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FOR SALE -- Pecan and shade trees. Shrubs of all kinds. Goode's Nursery, GR 1-3119. 1-4-tf

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Used Furniture
Bought & sold.
BRIGHT'S FURNITURE
Highway 60 West - GR 1-3995. 1-20-tf

FOR SALE -- Thin aluminum plates. 24" x 36" 15 cents each. The Daily Sikeston Standard. 10-17-tf

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Welders
225 Amp Lincoln complete $125.00
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WEBB ELECTRIC SUPPLY
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Take up payments on 1965 BS motor scooter, self starter, direction signals, rear view mirror. Pretty red and chrome. Call GR 1-5406 or GR 1-5509 after 5:30. 2-23-3t

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Orville Yates
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MUSICAL ***
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Man to sell the automatic Electrolux vacuum cleaner. If interested, write Electrolux Corporation, 716 S. Main St., Jonesboro, Ark. 1-6-tf

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FRIDAY FEBRUARY 25

5 45 THE SCOREBOARD
5 50 WATCHING THE WEATHER
6 00 CBS EVENING NEWS - COLOR CBS
6 30 THE WILD, WILD WEST CBS
7 30 HOGAN'S HEROES - COLOR CBS
8 00 GOMER PYLE USMC - COLOR CBS
8 30 THE SMOTHERS BROTHERS CBS
9 00 TRIALS OF O'BRIEN CBS
10 00 CHANNEL 12 REPORTS
10 15 THE LATE WEATHER
10 18 THE SPORTS FINAL
10 30 CHANNEL 12 COLOR THEATRE (BROKEN ARROW-JAMES STEWART, JEFF CHANDLER & DEBRA PAGET)
12 10 LATE NEWS HIGHLIGHTS

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 26

6 15 SUNRISE SEMESTER CBS
6 45 SAT. MORNING NEWS & WEATHER
7 00 CAPTAIN KANGAROO CBS
8 00 HECKLE & JECKLE - COLOR CBS
8 30 TENNESSEE TUXEDO - COLOR CBS
9 00 MIGHTY MOUSE - COLOR CBS
9 30 LINUS THE LION HEARTED - COLOR
10 00 TOM & JERRY - COLOR CBS
10 30 QUICK DRAW MC GRAW - COLOR CB
11 00 SKY KING CBS
11 30 LASSIE CBS
12 00 MY FRIEND FLICKA - COLOR CBS
12 30 SATURDAY MATINEE DOUBLE FEATURE
3 00 COUNTRY JUNCTION
3 30 THE RHODES SHOW
4 00 CBS GOLF CLASSIC CBS
5 00 THE LLOYD THAXTON SHOW
6 00 CBS SAT. EVENING NEWS - COLOR
6 30 THE JACKIE GLEASON SHOW CBS
7 30 SECRET AGENT CBS
8 30 THE LONER CBS
9 00 GUNSMOKE CBS
10 00 THE SATURDAY NIGHT NEWS
10 15 THE SHOW OF THE WEEK (MR. SOFT TOUCH-GLENN FORD & EVELYN KEYES)
11 55 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (WHEN THE REDSKINS RODE-JOH HALL & MARY CASTLE)
1 15 INVITATION FOR TOMORROW

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 27

9 15 THE CHRISTOPHERS
9 30 THE BIG PICTURE
9 55 THE LE FEVRE'S SHOW
10 30 THE LESTER FAMILY SING
8 00 SINGIN' TIME IN DIXIE
8 30 HERALD OF TRUTH
9 00 LAMP UNTO MY FEET CBS
9 30 LOOK UP & LIVE CBS
10 00 CAMERA THREE CBS
10 30 THE ANSWER
11 00 THIS IS THE LIFE
11 30 FACE THE NATION CBS
12 00 HOLLYWOOD MATINEE
1 30 CBS SPORTS SPECTACULAR CBS
3 00 ALUMNI FUN CBS
3 30 COLOR FEATURE
4 00 MISTER ED CBS
4 30 AMATEUR HOUR - COLOR CBS
5 00 TWENTIETH CENTURY CBS
5 30 SUNDAY AFTERNOON NEWS
6 00 LASSIE - COLOR CBS
6 30 MY FAVORITE MARTIAN - COLOR
7 00 THE ED SULLIVAN SHOW - COLOR
8 00 PERRY MASON - COLOR CBS
9 00 CANDID CAMERA CBS
9 30 WHAT'S MY LINE CBS
10 00 CBS SUNDAY NEWS CBS
10 15 SUNDAY NIGHT NEWS & WEATHER
10 30 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (THE IRON GLOVE-ROBERT STACK & URSULA THIESS)
11 50 THE LIVING PRAYER

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FRIDAY P.M. - Feb. 25
6:30 Camp Runamuck - c
7:00 Hank - c
7:30 Sammy Davis Show - c
8:30 Mr. Roberts
9:00 Man from U.N.C.L.E. - c
10:00 News Picture
10:15 Tonight Show - c

SATURDAY - Feb. 26
7:00 RFD-TV
7:30 Atop the Fence Post
7:55 News
8:00 The Jetsons - c
8:30 Atom Ant - c
9:00 Secret Squirrel - c
9:30 Underdog - c
10:00 Top Cat - c
10:30 Fury
11:00 The First Look - c
11:30 Exploring
12:00 Weekend at the Movies "My Gun is Quick" Robert Bray, Whitney Blake
2:00 SEC Basketball Tenn./Ky.
4:00 Wonderful World of Golf -
5:00 Studio Bowling
5:30 Scherer-Mudwell Report
6:00 Porter Wagoner
6:30 Flipper - c
7:00 Jeannie
7:30 Get Smart - c
8:00 Sat. Night at the Movies "My Favorite Spy"
10:00 News
10:15 Weekend at the Movies - c "The Private War of Major Benson" Charleton Heston, Julie Adams

SUNDAY - Feb. 27
7:00 Faith for Today
7:30 Gospel Singing Jubilee
8:30 Paducah Devotion
8:45 Hamilton Bros. Quartet
9:30 Christophers
9:45 Sacred Heart
10:00 This is the Life
10:30 The Answer
11:00 Popeye - c
11:30 File 6
12:00 Meet the Press - c
12:30 Frontiers of Faith
1:00 File 6
2:00 Jr. Matinee Music Club
3:00 Sports in Action - c
4:00 Wild Kingdom - c
4:30 GE College Bowl - c
5:00 Frank McGee - c
5:30 Bell Telephone - c
6:30 Wonderful World of Color - c
7:30 Branded - c
8:00 Bonanza- c
9:00 Wackiest Ship in Army - c
10:00 News, Weather, Sports
10:15 Weekend at the Movies - c "Never Steal Anything Small" James Cagney, Shirley Jones

3 WSIL-TV

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25
6:00 Cactus Pete
6:25 Weather
6:30 Flintstones (C)
7:00 Tammy (C)
7:30 Addams Family
8:00 Honey West
8:30 Farmers Daughter(C)
9:00 Jimmy Dean
10:00 Weather & News
10:20 Science Fiction Theatre Last Woman On Earth
11:20 67th Precinct
12:30 AM News & Sign Off

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26
8:30 Adventure Club
9:00 Porky Pig (C)
9:30 Beatles (C)
10:00 Casper Party Time(C)
10:30 Magilla Gorilla (C)
11:00 Bugs Bunny (C)
11:30 Milton Monster (C)
12:00 Hoppity Hooper (C)
12:30 American Bandstand
1:30 Pro Bowlers Tour
3:00 Big Ten Basketball Ill. vs. Minn.
4:30 World of Sports
5:30 Laramie
6:30 Ozzie & Harriet (C)
7:00 Donna Reed
7:30 Lawrence Welk (C)
8:30 Hollywood Palace(C)
9:30 ABC Scope
10:00 Bob Young-News
10:15 Have Gun Will Travel
10:45 Saturday Nite Movie About Face
12 AM Sign Off

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27
7:00 Beany & Cecil (C)
7:30 Peter Potamus (C)
10:00 Bullwinkle (C)
10:30 Discovery
11:00 Educational
11:30 Educational
12:00 Direction 66
12:30 Oral Roberts
1:00 NBA Game of the Week Boston Celtics vs. Baltimore Bullets
3:00 American Sportsman(C)
4:00 Anatomy of Pop Music
5:00 Allen Revival Hour
5:30 Lawman
6:00 Voyage To Sea (C)
7:00 FBI (C)
8:00 Sunday Night Movie(C) Holiday For Lovers
10:00 Bob Young-News
10:15 Sunday Nite Late Movie Convicts Four
12:00 Sign Off

No Agreement

Although authorities are not in agreement on a natural boundary between Europe and Asia, a commonly accepted division of the two continents is formed by the Ural Mountains, Ural River, Caspian Sea, Caucasus Mountains and the Black Sea, with its outlets, the Bosporus and Dardanelles.

Looking Back Over The Years

50 years ago
Feb. 25, 1916

Miss Carrie Hess left for Paducah, Ky., Saturday to take up her duties as teacher in the public school. She was accompanied as far as Ullim, Ill., by her mother.

Miss Ella Edmondson has accepted a position in the telephone office at East Prairie.

40 years ago
Feb. 25, 1926

The last issue of The Standard carried an advertisement for J. M. Pitman, in which he said he would clean and press, free of charge, dresses, coats and suits for girls and boys under 12 years of age, if brought to his place of business on February 15, and called for later when finished. Up to 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, 178 garments had been left at his place of business to be cleaned and pressed.

New Madrid -- Mrs. A. F. Moore and Misses Mildred and Lena Lewis accompanied by Howard Hampton, spent several days last week in Cairo.

On Friday afternoon of this week, grades two and three will present a Washington's birthday program at the high school auditorium, to which the public is invited. Free.

30 years ago
Feb. 25, 1936

The management of the Malone Theatre announces that it has been successful in booking one of Major Edward Rowe's famous amateur units to appear at that theatre on March 6, for one day only.

Lightning and water put 145 telephones out of order Wednesday morning. O. T. Elder, manager of the Southeast Missouri Telephone Co., offices here, said water that entered a cracked sheet on a principal cable stopped service of 100 telephones in the business houses and the Marshall hotel on Malone avenue and in residences south of the street. An additional scattered 45 were put out of commission when lightning struck in the north part of town.

The Butz Sales Co., of Cape Girardeau will open a branch office here March 1 in the North Kingshighway office now occupied by the Slack insurance agency. Orville Taylor will be manager.

Bids for the new grammar school building to be constructed on a lot north of the athletic field will be accepted soon after detailed plans for the structure are completed.

20 years ago
Feb. 25, 1946

The Anniston High School basketball team, dark horse of the Sub-Regional Tournament captured first place at East Prairie Friday night by beating the Charleston Bluejays 31 to 19. Sikeston defeated Morley 42 to 28 to win third place.

Rex Theatre, today, "Heavenly Body" with William Powell and Hedy Lemar. Malone Theatre, today, "Shady Lady" with Charles Coburn and Ginny Simms. Tomorrow, "Radio Stars on Parade" with Frances Langford and Brown & Carey, plus "Appointment In Tokyo."

A group of friends surprised Mrs. M. E. Childress on Friday evening with a dinner and bridge party, the occasion being Mrs. Childress' birthday.

Funeral services for Edgar L. Jones, 31, who died Wednesday in St. Louis of a heart attack, were held Thursday afternoon from the Assembly of God Church in Sikeston.

Hanoi Hardliners' Control over War Policy Appears to Be Firm

WASHINGTON AP -- Communist North Viet Nam evidently has had its own closed-circuit version of the U.S. policy debate on the course of the Vietnamese war. The hardliners in Hanoi who refuse negotiations appear firmly in control.

Expert analysts say they cannot tell if there is any real split within the government of 76-year-old President Ho Chi Minh that goes beyond immediate tactics.

But there is no doubt of the stern public rebuke administered earlier this month by party theoretician Le Duc Tho to what he called "a small number of comrades who have developed erroneous thoughts and views.

"They entertain subjectivism and pacifism," complained Tho. "They display pessimism and fail to realize clearly the deceptive peace negotiation plot of the enemy."

While striking out at the doubters and waverers, Le Duc Tho mentioned no names. Experts believe these are at least three or four in the top ranks of Hanoi's hierarchy and assume that there may be 30 or 40 more scattered through the second echelon of leaders.

It is known here that Alexander Shelepin, the secretary of the powerful Soviet Central Committee, left Hanoi in mid-January after a visit without feeling there was any room for the moderates.

It is also known here that at no time during or since the 37-day pause in U.S. bombing of North Vietnamese targets has the North Vietnamese leadership shown any difference in approach that might encourage negotiations.

Inside Ho's politburo, the pro-Chinese element is believed led by Truonk Chinh, 58. He is the militant chief ideologist of the Communist party.

He played a leading role in establishing the revolutionary government and was a member of the North Vietnamese delegation to the 1954 Geneva conference. Ten years ago he fell into disgrace for his handling of a land reform program but reappeared after a short eclipse of two years.

Ranking second to Ho in the party hierarchy is Le Duan, 58, the first secretary of the central committee. He is said to be pro-Soviet rather than pro-Chinese. Nevertheless he is one of the driving forces behind the Viet Cong in South Viet Nam.

Le Duan and Le Duc Tho have been bitter rivals for more than a decade. They headed competing Communist groups in South Viet Nam during the war that preceded the 1954 Geneva agreement.

Also counted in the pro-Soviet team is Prime Minister Van Dog, 58. He headed North Viet Nam's delegations to the Geneva conferences in 1954 and 1962. He has been premier and foreign minister.

Le Duc Tho's criticism of foreign policy apparently was aimed at Dong.

Among the generals, Gen. Vo Vguyen Giap, who defeated the French in the 1954 battle of Dien Bien Phu, is a hardliner who is believed to stand nearer to Moscow than Peking.

The top general among the pro-Chinese group is Gen. Nguyen Chi Thanh, considered a close collaborator with Truong Chinh. Ho has made frequent trips to both Moscow and Peking in his efforts to steer a middle course, knowing his regime depends on continued aid from both Communist giants.

PUT A TIGER ON THE TABLE—Here's a perky placemat that will add to any child's mealtime pleasure. White cotton cloth is appliqued with a friendly tiger cut from Bondex iron-on cotton fabric. Free instruction leaflets available from the National Cotton Council, P. O. Box 12285, Memphis, Tennessee.

ANN LANDERS

Answers Your Problems

Dear Ann Landers: I'm writing about that grief-stricken college boy whose sweetheart confessed she had had intimate relations with a high school lad. I know the type. I'll bet he had affairs with at least six girls while he was in high school. He arrives at college and is disappointed not to find an abundance of "white flower" girls. Where have all the lovely flowers gone? To the high school boys like "Grief-Stricken" -- I'll bet.

If these creeps think so highly of virgins why don't they leave a few around? Can you imagine a girl who has had six or seven affairs demanding that her fiance be 100 per cent pure? The fellow would fall down laughing.

A male with sex experience is called a lover. A woman with sex experience is called a tramp. Men want to marry lily - white maidens but they also like to take their fun where they find it. Such hypocrisy makes me sick. -- MISS K. Q.

Dear Miss K. Q.: If I had your address I'd send you a get well card. Thanks for a good letter. You speak the truth, Lady.

Dear Ann Landers: I have worked for this firm for 12 years. I started at a modest salary because the boss assured me that I would "grow with the company." The company has grown and I've made a significant contribution. Yet I've received exactly one salary increase -- four years ago.

There are no bonus arrangements, no stock options, no chance that I will ever share in the profits. I'm on a straight salary, plus a turkey for Christmas. Whenever I talk to my boss about a raise he tells me I'm loyal, and invaluable to the company. He lays on the compliments, then says I should be happy to work for people who appreciate me.

I have three children to put through college. When I ask my wife if I should leave she says, "A bird in the hand--." What do you advise? -- SOFT-SOAPED

Dear Soaped: They won't take birds as payment for college tuition anymore, or compliments either.

Look around for a company that can use your talents. Equally important is the quality of people you'd be working for and with. Be selective. When you find the combination tell your boss good-bye, and next Christmas send HIM a turkey.

Dear Ann: When I first married Jim he always seemed to disappear when guests arrived. He'd either go to the basement and repair the lawn mower or out to the garage and change the oil in the car, or upstairs to rummage around in old papers and magazines.

It caused me a lot of embarrassment and he knew it, but he just wouldn't change so I gave up inviting company at night.

Now that our children are teen-agers it's the same story. When Carla told us a boy friend would be coming over and she wanted dad to meet him I knew what would happen. And it did. The minute the boy showed up, Jim went downstairs and started to putter around. He stayed there for an hour.

Finally Carla took the boy downstairs and introduced him to her dad. Jim was very friendly and they got along fine. What can be done to change Jim? Why is he like this?--CONCERNED

Dear Con: Jim is ill at ease with strangers and he avoids discomfort by "disappearing." I doubt that he will ever change, so accept him as he is -- and work around it as best you can.

If excessive drinking is wrecking your health or destroying someone you love, send for Ann Landers' booklet, "Help For The Alcoholic," enclosing with your request 20 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

USE THE DAILY SIKESTON STANDARD CLASSIFIED ADS

Girl Scouts Work on Safe Driving Project

CHARLESTON -- Girl Scouts in the Cotton Boll Council and Otahki District are working on a project to stress safety in driving. Called the "Safety Daisy," the "gimmick" is a small white and yellow artificial flower which is to be placed in an automobile where the driver can see it.

THE DAISY IS to remind the driver of the Girl Scouts' concern for safety, and to encourage him to buckle seat belts, obey traffic laws, heed road signs, and follow other safe driving habits.

The girls have been cutting, assembling and signing Safety Daisies in their troop meetings the past few weeks. The projected was suggested by the name of the founder of Girl Scouting, Mrs. Juliette "Daisy" Lowe.

Governor Hearnes and the Highway Patrol are participating in the project, and encouraging adults to do so.

APPROXIMATELY 1,000 daisies will be distributed by the 12 troops to parents, friends, service clubs and organizations during the week of March 1.

Organizations receiving daisies, and the troop and leaders presenting the flowers, are as follows:

Mississippi County Rescue Unit, Troop 116, Mrs. Sam Story.

Rotary Club, Troop 126, Misses Sandra Struwe and Linda Reeves.

PEO, Troop 8, Mrs. Jim Thurmond and Mrs. Handy Moore.

Athena Club, Troop 47, Mrs. Joe Ellis Jr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson.

Jaycees, Troop 116.

Auxiliary Police, Troop 59, Mrs. Robert Thomason and Mrs. Carl Asa.

20th Century Club, Troop 31, Mrs. Norman Harper.

Katherine Boone Music Club, Troop 56, Mrs. Chas. Fowlkes and Mrs. Helen Cogdill.

Molly French Garden Club, Troop 1, Mrs. Edsel Vied and Mrs. Chas. Jordan Jr.

Junior Study Club, Troop 183, Mrs. Harry Warren Jr. and Mrs. Chas. Burcks.

Business and Professional Women, Troop 47.

Lions, Troop 266, Mrs. John Dernoncourt.

Kiwanis, Troop 72, Mrs. Fred Ferrell and Mrs. Russell Sutherland.

Woman's Study Club, Troop 3, Mrs. E. Riley Brown, Jr., Mrs. Ray Hillhouse and Mrs. Nancy Barborek.

Court Grants Divorces

NEW MADRID -- Divorces were granted in two suits in a session Monday of circuit court.

A guilty plea was entered from Bobby Ray Collins, who was charged with felonious assault and Judge Ragland took the case under advisement.

A decree of divorce was granted in the suit of Leaum Mills against Edith Mills and custody of two minor children and $10 per child per week was awarded to defendant.

In the other divorce suit, a decree was granted to Sandra Kay Scott from Edward F. Scott and name of plaintiff was ordered restored to Sandra Kay Reed.

Settlement Approved

NEW MADRID-- Circuit court with Judge William L. Ragland presiding, Monday, approved settlement of $151,000 in a suit against the St. Louis - San Francisco Railway company.

Walter Von Taylor and Cora Edith Taylor were paid that sum as a result of a car-train collision at 12:25 p.m. Sept. 17, 1964 at the Route D crossing in New Madrid county near the village of Charter Oak.

Taylor received severe brain damage and remains hospitalized. Mrs. Taylor received several broken ribs, broken left arm and right knee. She was hospitalized until October 2, 1965.

According to R. F. Welsh, chief railway claim agent, this settlement was the highest paid in the history of the Frisco Railway company.

The suit filed by the Taylors through their attorney, Charles C. Hatley of New Madrid, alleged that the defendant, Frisco, its agents and employees, failed to give an adequate and timely warning of the approach of its train at the crossing.

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2:00 Sunday-Friday
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The Malone Theatre will start the ONE WEEK ROADSHOW RUN of THUNDERBALL March 4th thru 10th. Admission Adults $1.25 Children 75¢. DURING THIS RUN, REGULAR pictures will be run at the REX. Watch this paper for the attractions.

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The Prayer

For Today From The Upper Room

"You are my witnesses," says the Lord. (Isaiah 43:10, RSV)

PRAYER: O God, may our prayers, joined with the petitions of others on this World Day of Prayer, witness our unselfish love for all men and our firm hope for peace among all nations. We pray in the name of our Lord and Master. Amen.

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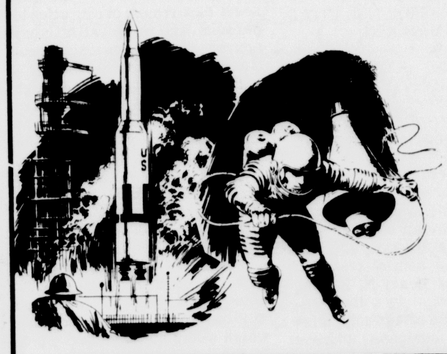

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Hanoi Hardliners' Control over War Policy Appears to Be Firm

WASHINGTON AP -- Communist North Viet Nam evidently has had its own closed-circuit version of the U.S. policy debate on the course of the Vietnamese war. The hardliners in Hanoi who refuse negotiations appear firmly in control.

Expert analysts say they cannot tell if there is any real split within the government of 76-year-old President Ho Chi Minh that goes beyond immediate tactics.

But there is no doubt of the stern public rebuke administered earlier this month by party theoretician Le Duc Tho to what he called "a small number of comrades who have developed erroneous thoughts and views.

"They entertain subjectivism and pacifism," complained Tho. "They display pessimism and fail to realize clearly the deceptive peace negotiation plot of the enemy."

While striking out at the doubters and waverers, Le Duc Tho mentioned no names. Experts believe these are at least three or four in the top ranks of Hanoi's hierarchy and assume that there may be 30 or 40 more scattered through the second echelon of leaders.

It is known here that Alexander Shelepin, the secretary of the powerful Soviet Central Committee, left Hanoi in mid-January after a visit without feeling there was any room for the moderates.

It is also known here that at no time during or since the 37-day pause in U.S. bombing of North Vietnamese targets has the North Vietnamese leadership shown any difference in approach that might encourage negotiations.

Inside Ho's politburo, the pro-Chinese element is believed led by Truonk Chinh, 58. He is the militant chief ideologist of the Communist party.

He played a leading role in establishing the revolutionary government and was a member of the North Vietnamese delegation to the 1954 Geneva conference. Ten years ago he fell into disgrace for his handling of a land reform program but reappeared after a short eclipse of two years.

Ranking second to Ho in the party hierarchy is Le Duan, 58, the first secretary of the central committee. He is said to be pro-Soviet rather than pro-Chinese. Nevertheless he is one of the driving forces behind the Viet Cong in South Viet Nam.

Le Duan and Le Duc Tho have been bitter rivals for more than a decade. They headed competing Communist groups in South Viet Nam during the war that preceded the 1954 Geneva agreement.

Also counted in the pro-Soviet team is Prime Minister Van Dog, 58. He headed North Viet Nam's delegations to the Geneva conferences in 1954 and 1962. He has been premier and foreign minister.

Le Duc Tho's criticism of foreign policy apparently was aimed at Dong.

Among the generals, Gen. Vo Vguyen Giap, who defeated the French in the 1954 battle of Dien Bien Phu, is a hardliner who is believed to stand nearer to Moscow than Peking.

The top general among the pro-Chinese group is Gen. Nguyen Chi Thanh, considered a close collaborator with Truong Chinh. Ho has made frequent trips to both Moscow and Peking in his efforts to steer a middle course, knowing his regime depends on continued aid from both Communist giants.

PUT A TIGER ON THE TABLE—Here's a perky placemat that will add to any child's mealtime pleasure. White cotton cloth is appliqued with a friendly tiger cut from Bondex iron-on cotton fabric. Free instruction leaflets available from the National Cotton Council, P. O. Box 12285, Memphis, Tennessee.

Looking Back Over The Years

50 years ago
Feb. 25, 1916

Miss Carrie Hess left for Paducah, Ky., Saturday to take up her duties as teacher in the public school. She was accompanied as far as Ullim, Ill., by her mother.

Miss Ella Edmondson has accepted a position in the telephone office at East Prairie.

40 years ago
Feb. 25, 1926

The last issue of The Standard carried an advertisement for J. M. Pitman, in which he said he would clean and press, free of charge, dresses, coats and suits for girls and boys under 12 years of age, if brought to his place of business on February 15, and called for later when finished. Up to 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, 178 garments had been left at his place of business to be cleaned and pressed.

New Madrid -- Mrs. A. F. Moore and Misses Mildred and Lena Lewis accompanied by Howard Hampton, spent several days last week in Cairo.

On Friday afternoon of this week, grades two and three will present a Washington's birthday program at the high school auditorium, to which the public is invited. Free.

30 years ago
Feb. 25, 1936

The management of the Malone Theatre announces that it has been successful in booking one of Major Edward Rowe's famous amateur units to appear at that theatre on March 6, for one day only.

Lightning and water put 145 telephones out of order Wednesday morning. O. T. Elder, manager of the Southeast Missouri Telephone Co., offices here, said water that entered a cracked sheet on a principal cable stopped service of 100 telephones in the business houses and the Marshall hotel on Malone avenue and in residences south of the street. An additional scattered 45 were put out of commission when lightning struck in the north part of town.

The Butz Sales Co., of Cape Girardeau will open a branch office here March 1 in the North Kingshighway office now occupied by the Slack insurance agency. Orville Taylor will be manager.

Bids for the new grammar school building to be constructed on a lot north of the athletic field will be accepted soon after detailed plans for the structure are completed.

20 years ago
Feb. 25, 1946

The Anniston High School basketball team, dark horse of the Sub-Regional Tournament captured first place at East Prairie Friday night by beating the Charleston Bluejays 31 to 19. Sikeston defeated Morley 42 to 28 to win third place.

Rex Theatre, today, "Heavenly Body" with William Powell and Hedy Lemar. Malone Theatre, today, "Shady Lady" with Charles Coburn and Ginny Simms. Tomorrow, "Radio Stars on Parade" with Frances Langford and Brown & Carey, plus "Appointment In Tokyo."

A group of friends surprised Mrs. M. E. Childress on Friday evening with a dinner and bridge party, the occasion being Mrs. Childress' birthday.

Funeral services for Edgar L. Jones, 31, who died Wednesday in St. Louis of a heart attack, were held Thursday afternoon from the Assembly of God Church in Sikeston.

Girl Scouts Work on Safe Driving Project

CHARLESTON -- Girl Scouts in the Cotton Boll Council and Otahki District are working on a project to stress safety in driving. Called the "Safety Daisy," the "gimmick" is a small white and yellow artificial flower which is to be placed in an automobile where the driver can see it.

THE DAISY IS to remind the driver of the Girl Scouts' concern for safety, and to encourage him to buckle seat belts, obey traffic laws, heed road signs, and follow other safe driving habits.

The girls have been cutting, assembling and signing Safety Daisies in their troop meetings the past few weeks. The projected was suggested by the name of the founder of Girl Scouting, Mrs. Juliette "Daisy" Lowe.

Governor Hearnes and the Highway Patrol are participating in the project, and encouraging adults to do so.

APPROXIMATELY 1,000 daisies will be distributed by the 12 troops to parents, friends, service clubs and organizations during the week of March 1.

Organizations receiving daisies, and the troop and leaders presenting the flowers, are as follows:

Mississippi County Rescue Unit, Troop 116, Mrs. Sam Story.

Rotary Club, Troop 126, Misses Sandra Struwe and Linda Reeves.

PEO, Troop 8, Mrs. Jim Thurmond and Mrs. Handy Moore.

Athena Club, Troop 47, Mrs. Joe Ellis Jr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson.

Jaycees, Troop 116.

Auxiliary Police, Troop 59, Mrs. Robert Thomason and Mrs. Carl Asa.

20th Century Club, Troop 31, Mrs. Norman Harper.

Katherine Boone Music Club, Troop 56, Mrs. Chas. Fowlkes and Mrs. Helen Cogdill.

Molly French Garden Club, Troop 1, Mrs. Edsel Vied and Mrs. Chas. Jordan Jr.

Junior Study Club, Troop 183, Mrs. Harry Warren Jr. and Mrs. Chas. Burcks.

Business and Professional Women, Troop 47.

Lions, Troop 266, Mrs. John Dernoncourt.

Kiwanis, Troop 72, Mrs. Fred Ferrell and Mrs. Russell Sutherland.

Woman's Study Club, Troop 3, Mrs. E. Riley Brown, Jr., Mrs. Ray Hillhouse and Mrs. Nancy Barborek.

Court Grants Divorces

NEW MADRID -- Divorces were granted in two suits in a session Monday of circuit court.

A guilty plea was entered from Bobby Ray Collins, who was charged with felonious assault and Judge Ragland took the case under advisement.

A decree of divorce was granted in the suit of Leaum Mills against Edith Mills and custody of two minor children and $10 per child per week was awarded to defendant.

In the other divorce suit, a decree was granted to Sandra Kay Scott from Edward F. Scott and name of plaintiff was ordered restored to Sandra Kay Reed.

Settlement Approved

NEW MADRID-- Circuit court with Judge William L. Ragland presiding, Monday, approved settlement of $151,000 in a suit against the St. Louis - San Francisco Railway company.

Walter Von Taylor and Cora Edith Taylor were paid that sum as a result of a car-train collision at 12:25 p.m. Sept. 17, 1964 at the Route D crossing in New Madrid county near the village of Carter Oak.

Taylor received severe brain damage and remains hospitalized. Mrs. Taylor received several broken ribs, broken left arm and right knee. She was hospitalized until October 2, 1965.

According to R. F. Welsh, chief railway claim agent, this settlement was the highest paid in the history of the Frisco Railway company.

The suit filed by the Taylors through their attorney, Charles C. Hatley of New Madrid, alleged that the defendant, Frisco, its agents and employees, failed to give an adequate and timely warning of the approach of its train at the crossing.

ANN LANDERS

Answers Your Problems

Dear Ann Landers: I'm writing about that grief-stricken college boy whose sweetheart confessed she had had intimate relations with a high school lad. I know the type. I'll bet he had affairs with at least six girls while he was in high school. He arrives at college and is disappointed not to find an abundance of "white flower" girls. Where have all the lovely flowers gone? To the high school boys like "Grief-Stricken" -- I'll bet.

If these creeps think so highly of virgins why don't they leave a few around? Can you imagine a girl who has had six or seven affairs demanding that her fiance be 100 per cent pure? The fellow would fall down laughing.

A male with sex experience is called a lover. A woman with sex experience is called a tramp. Men want to marry lily - white maidens but they also like to take their fun where they find it. Such hypocrisy makes me sick. -- MISS K. Q.

Dear Miss K. Q.: If I had your address I'd send you a get well card. Thanks for a good letter. You speak the truth, Lady.

Dear Ann Landers: I have worked for this firm for 12 years. I started at a modest salary because the boss assured me that I would "grow with the company." The company has grown and I've made a significant contribution. Yet I've received exactly one salary increase -- four years ago.

There are no bonus arrangements, no stock options, no chance that I will ever share in the profits. I'm on a straight salary, plus a turkey for Christmas. Whenever I talk to my boss about a raise he tells me I'm loyal, and invaluable to the company. He lays on the compliments, then says I should be happy to work for people who appreciate me.

I have three children to put through college. When I ask my wife if I should leave she says, "A bird in the hand--." What do you advise? -- SOFT-SOAPED

Dear Soaped: They won't take birds as payment for college tuition anymore, or compliments either.

Look around for a company that can use your talents. Equally important is the quality of people you'd be working for and with. Be selective. When you find the combination tell your boss good-bye, and next Christmas send HIM a turkey.

Dear Ann: When I first married Jim he always seemed to disappear when guests arrived. He'd either go to the basement and repair the lawn mower or out to the garage and change the oil in the car, or upstairs to rummage around in old papers and magazines.

It caused me a lot of embarrassment and he knew it, but he just wouldn't change so I gave up inviting company at night.

Now that our children are teen-agers it's the same story. When Carla told us a boy friend would be coming over and she wanted dad to meet him I knew what would happen. And it did. The minute the boy showed up, Jim went downstairs and started to putter around. He stayed there for an hour.

Finally Carla took the boy downstairs and introduced him to her dad. Jim was very friendly and they got along fine. What can be done to change Jim? Why is he like this?--CONCERNED

Dear Con: Jim is ill at ease with strangers and he avoids discomfort by "disappearing." I doubt that he will ever change, so accept him as he is -- and work around it as best you can.

If excessive drinking is wrecking your health or destroying someone you love, send for Ann Landers' booklet, "Help For The Alcoholic," enclosing with your request 20 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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The Prayer

For Today From The Upper Room

"You are my witnesses," says the Lord. (Isaiah 43:10, RSV)

PRAYER: O God, may our prayers, joined with the petitions of others on this World Day of Prayer, witness our unselfish love for all men and our firm hope for peace among all nations. We pray in the name of our Lord and Master. Amen.

Channel 12

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 25
5:45 THE SCOREBOARD
5:50 WATCHING THE WEATHER
6:00 CBS EVENING NEWS - COLOR CBS
6:30 THE WILD, WILD WEST CBS
7:30 HOGAN'S HEROES - COLOR CBS
8:00 GOMER PYLE USMC - COLOR CBS
8:30 THE SMOTHERS BROTHERS CBS
9:00 TRIALS OF O'BRIEN CBS
10:00 CHANNEL 12 REPORTS
10:15 THE LATE WEATHER
10:25 THE SPORTS FINAL
10:30 CHANNEL 12 COLOR THEATRE (BROKEN ARROW-JAMES STEWART, JEFF CHANDLER & DEBRA PAGET)
12:10 LATE NEWS HIGHLIGHTS

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 26
6:15 SUNRISE SEMESTER CBS
6:45 SAT. MORNING NEWS & WEATHER
7:00 CAPTAIN KANGAROO CBS
8:00 HECKLE & JECKLE - COLOR CBS
8:30 TENNESSEE TUXEDO - COLOR CBS
9:00 MIGHTY MOUSE - COLOR CBS
9:30 LINUS THE LION HEARTED - COLOR
10:00 TOM & JERRY - COLOR CBS
10:30 QUICK DRAW MC GRAW - COLOR CB.
11:00 SKY KING CBS
11:30 LASSIE CBS
12:00 MY FRIEND FLICKA - COLOR CBS
12:30 SATURDAY MATINEE DOUBLE FEATURE
3:00 COUNTRY JUNCTION
3:30 THE RHODES SHOW
4:00 CBS GOLF CLASSIC CBS
5:00 THE LLOYD THAXTON SHOW
6:00 CBS SAT. EVENING NEWS - COLOR
6:30 THE JACKIE GLEASON SHOW CBS
7:30 SECRET AGENT CBS
8:30 THE LONER CBS
9:00 GUNSMOKE CBS
10:00 THE SATURDAY NIGHT NEWS
10:15 THE SHOW OF THE WEEK (MR. SOFT TOUCH-GLENN FORD & EVELYN KEYES)
11:55 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (WHEN THE REDSKINS RODE-JON HALL & MARY CASTLE)
1:15 INVITATION FOR TOMORROW

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 27
8:15 THE CHRISTOPHERS
8:30 THE BIG PICTURE
9:00 THE LEE FEVRE'S SHOW
9:30 THE LESTER FAMILY SING
9:00 SINGIN' TIME IN DIXIE
9:30 HERALD OF TRUTH
9:55 LAMP UNTO MY FEET CBS
10:00 LOOK UP & LIVE CBS
10:00 CAMERA THREE CBS
10:30 THE ANSWER
11:00 THIS IS THE LIFE
11:30 FACE THE NATION CBS
12:00 HOLLYWOOD MATINEE
1:30 CBS SPORTS SPECTACULAR CBS
3:00 ALUMNI FUN CBS
3:30 COLOR FEATURE
4:00 MISTER ED CBS
4:30 AMATEUR HOUR - COLOR CBS
5:00 TWENTIETH CENTURY CBS
5:30 SUNDAY AFTERNOON NEWS
6:00 LASSIE - COLOR CBS
6:30 MY FAVORITE MARTIAN - COLOR
7:00 THE ED SULLIVAN SHOW - COLOR
8:00 PERRY MASON - COLOR CBS
9:00 CANDID CAMERA CBS
9:30 WHAT'S MY LINE CBS
10:00 CBS SUNDAY NEWS CBS
10:15 SUNDAY NIGHT NEWS & WEATHER
10:30 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (THE IRON GLOVE-ROBERT STACK & URSULA THIESS)
11:30 THE LIVING PRAYER

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FRIDAY P.M. - Feb. 25
6:30 Camp Runamuck - c
7:00 Hank - c
7:30 Sammy Davis Show - c
8:30 Mr. Roberts
9:00 Man from U.N.C.L.E. - c
10:00 News Picture
10:15 Tonight Show - c

SATURDAY - Feb. 26
7:00 RFD-TV
7:30 Atop the Fence Post
7:55 News
8:00 The Jetsons - c
8:30 Aton Ant - c
9:00 Secret Squirrel - c
9:30 Underdog - c
10:00 Top Cat - c
10:30 Fury
11:00 The First Look - c
11:30 Exploring
12:00 Weekend at the Movies "My Gun is Quick" Robert Bray, Whitney Blake
2:00 SEC Basketball Tenn./Ky.
4:00 Wonderful World of Golf -
5:00 Studio Bowling
5:30 Scherer-MacNeil Report
6:00 Porter Wagoner
6:30 Flipper - c
7:00 Jeannie
7:30 Get Smart - c
8:00 Sat. Night at the Movies "My Favorite Spy"
10:00 News
10:15 Weekend at the Movies - c "The Private War of Major Benson" Charlton Heston, Julie Adams

SUNDAY - Feb. 27
7:00 Faith for Today
7:30 Gospel Singing Jubilee
8:30 Paducah Devotion
9:15 Hamilton Bros. Quartet
9:30 Christophers
9:45 Sacred Heart
10:00 This is the Life
10:30 The Answer
11:00 Popeye - c
11:30 File 6
12:00 Meet the Press - c
12:30 Frontiers of Faith
1:00 File 6
2:00 Jr. Matinee Music Club
3:00 Sports in Action - c
4:00 Wild Kingdom - c
4:30 GE College Bowl - c
5:00 Frank McGee - c
5:30 Bell Telephone - c
6:30 Wonderful World of Color - c
7:30 Branded - c
8:00 Bonanza - c
9:00 Wackiest Ship in Army - c
10:00 News, Weather, Sports
10:15 Weekend at the Movies - c "Never Steal Anything Small" James Cagney, Shirley Jones

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25
6:00 Cactus Pete
6:25 Weather
6:30 Flintstones (C)
7:00 Tammy (C)
7:30 Addams Family
8:00 Honey West
8:30 Farmers Daughter(C)
9:00 Jimmy Dean
10:00 Weather & News
10:20 Science Fiction Theatre Last Woman On Earth
11:20 87th Precinct
12:30 AM News & Sign Off

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26
8:30 Adventure Club
9:00 Porky Pig (C)
9:30 Beatles (C)
10:00 Casper Party Time(C)
10:30 Magilla Gorilla (C)
11:00 Bugs Bunny (C)
11:30 Milton Monster (C)
12:00 Hoppity Hooper (C)
12:30 American Bandstand
1:30 Pro Bowlers Tour
3:00 Big Ten Basketball Ill. vs. Minn.
4:30 World of Sports
5:30 Laramie
6:30 Ozzie & Harriet (C)
7:00 Donna Reed
7:30 Lawrence Welk (C)
8:30 Hollywood Palace(C)
9:30 ABC Scope
10:00 Bob Young-News
10:15 Have Gun Will Travel
10:45 Saturday Nite Movie About Face
A Sign Off

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27
9:00 Sunny & Cecil (C)
9:30 Peter Potamus (C)
10:00 Bullwinkle (C)
10:30 Discovery
11:00 Educational
11:30 Educational
12:00 Direction 66
12:30 Oral Roberts
1:00 NBA Game of the Week Boston Celtics vs. Baltimore Bullets
3:00 American Sportsman(C)
4:00 Anatomy of Pop Music
5:00 Allen Revival Hour
5:30 Lawman
6:00 Voyage To Sea (C)
7:00 FBI (C)
8:00 Sunday Night Movie(C) Holiday For Lovers
10:00 Bob Young-News
10:15 Sunday Nite Late Movie Convicts Four
12:00 Sign Off

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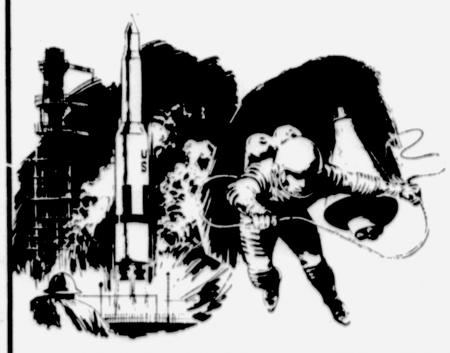

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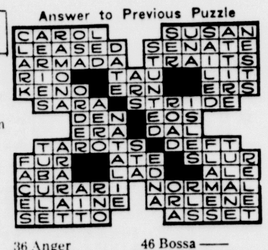

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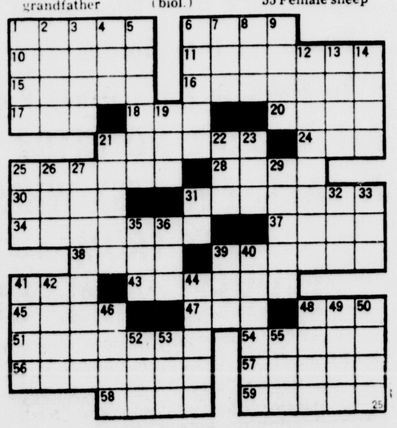

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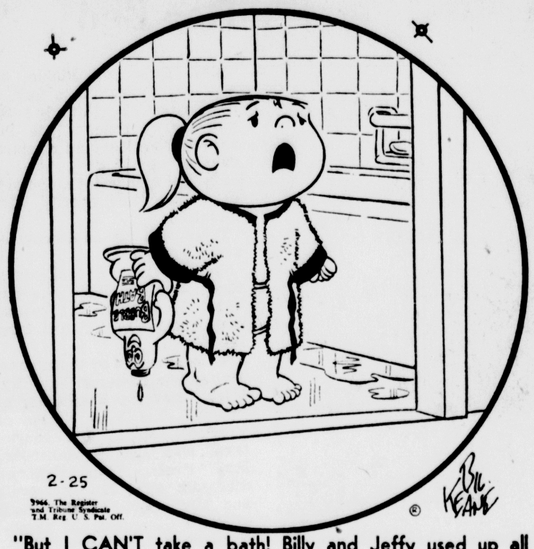

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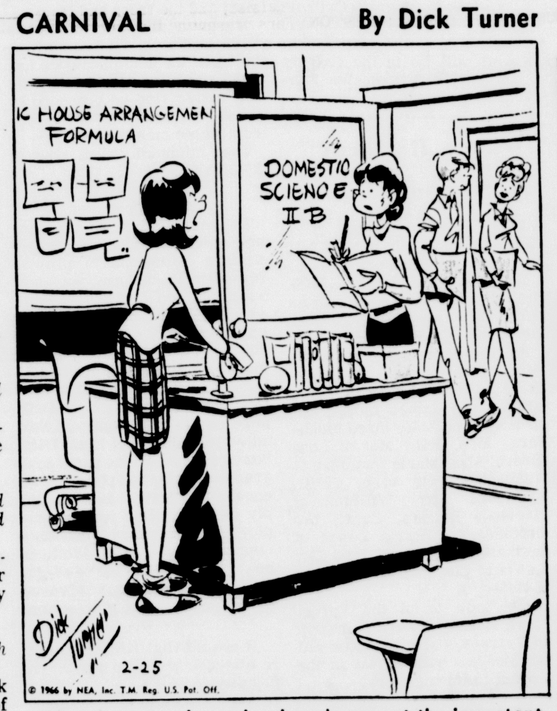

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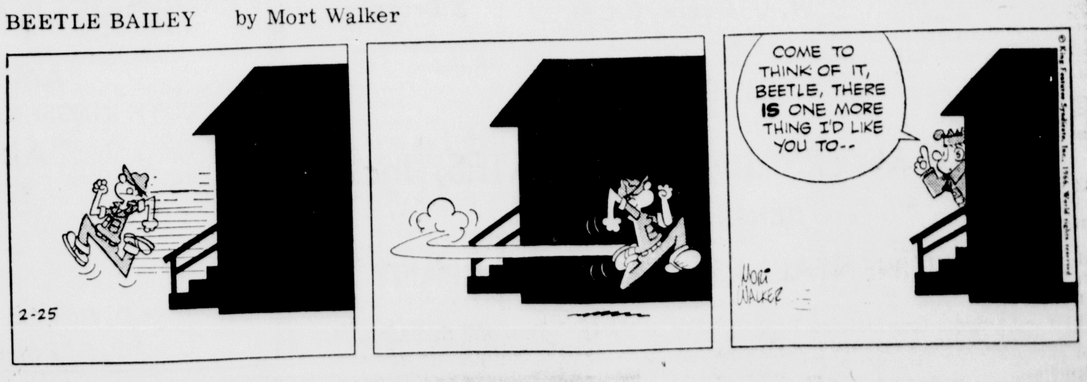

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2 7-26-31 33-48-67

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5-25-44-47 55-69-84-85

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51-53-59-60 64-71-79-90

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8-10-13-34 37-46-57

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9-27-32-42 54-63-73

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3-12-20-29 49-52-82-87

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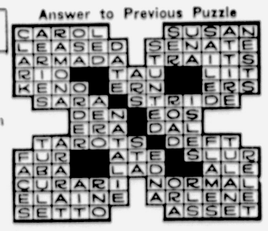

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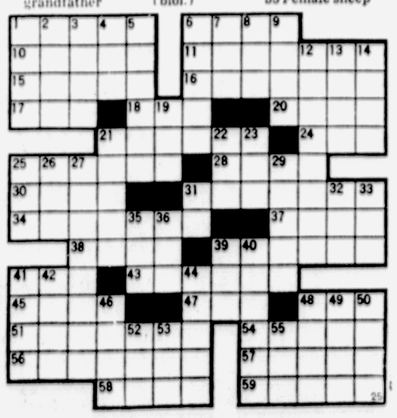

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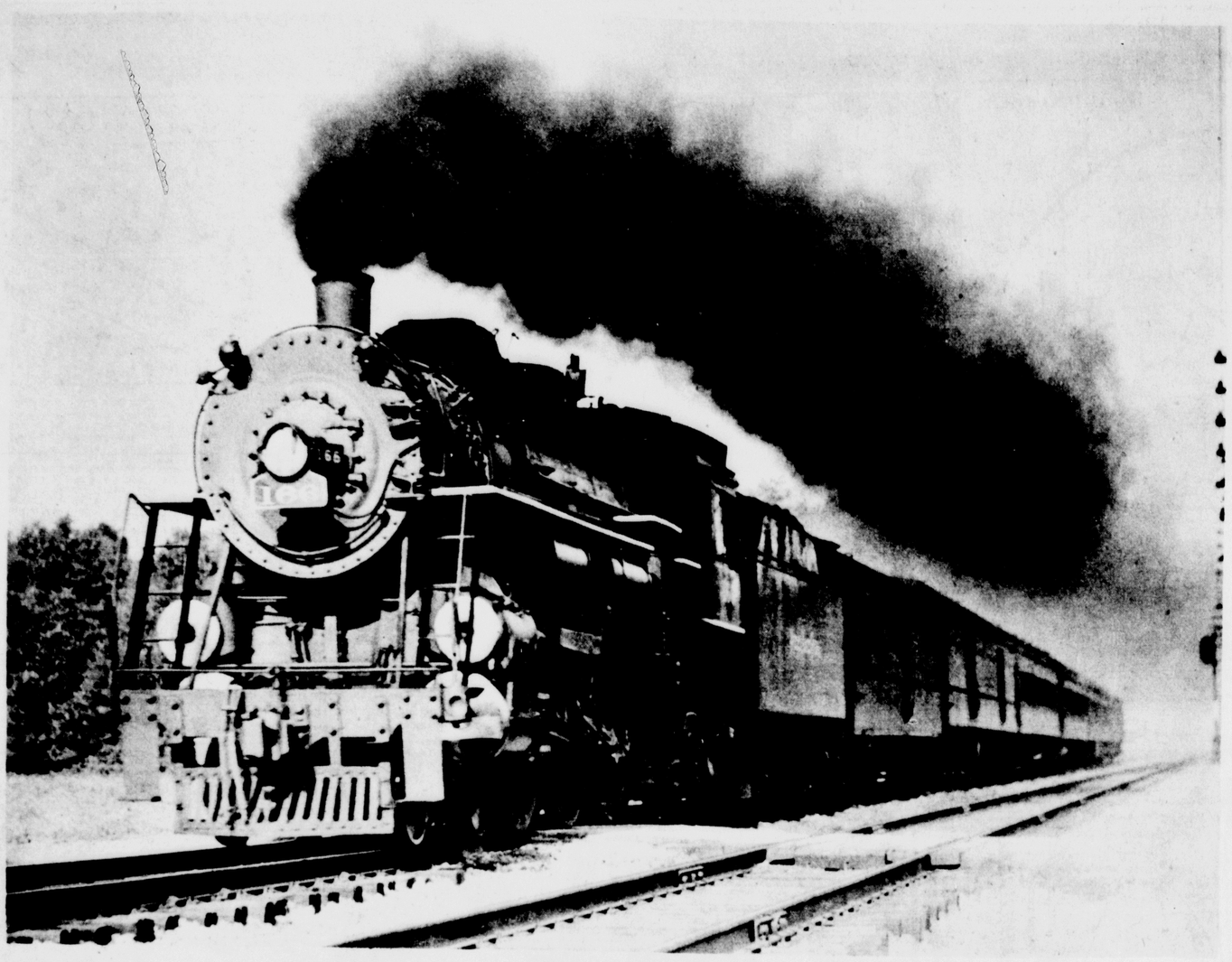

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By: John Rehor, Published by: Kalmbach Publishing Co., 1027 N. 7th St., Milwaukee, Wis., 53233, Price: $16.50, Available: Now.

"The Nickel Plate Story", by John Rehor, is one of the most complete, throughly researched documentaries in modern rail-history writing.

This all-inclusive delineation of the Nickel Plate Railroad, from the details of the original construction to its absorption into the Norfolk & Western through merger, is actually a series of accounts of the people, industries and equipment which played a part in this railroad's colorful past.

Probably the most interesting people in the book were the Van Sweringens, who matched wits competitively against the Vanderbilt and Gould dynasties to parlay in seven years $520,000 of borrowed money into over seventeen million dollars plus 54.17 per cent of the voting stock of this prosperous railroad. Despite this they died 12 years later of heartbreak and frustration, bankrupt.

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Even though the Nickel Plate name has now disappeared, it will live in history as the road which reached forward into the thinking of our time to provide a hot shot freight line that produced a profit despite always effective competition.

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Mrs. Hinkle Found In Her Bed

Mrs. Effie Bell Hinkle, 80, was found dead in a bed at her home, 121 Fifth St., this morning. Coroner Clyde Poe said that she had died of natural causes.

She had been under a doctor's care. She died shortly after midnight.

There will be no inquest or autopsy.

She had been a resident of Sikeston since 1943. She was born Oct. 10, 1885, in Sikeston, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hinkle.

She is survived by three sons, Walter Winchester of Bay City, Mich., Bernice Winchester of Sikeston and Fred Jordan of Ypsilanti, Mich.; four daughters, Mrs. Lucille Alexander, Mrs. Evelyn Payne, both of Sikeston; Mrs. Beulah Powell and Mrs. Chril Beasley, both of Cape Girardeau; 22 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

The body is at the Bisplinghoff Funeral Home in Illmo.

Today in Washington

Physicians Will Be Drafted

WASHINGTON AP -- Starting in July, Selective Service will begin drafting 2,496 physicians for the armed forces.

The Defense Department says it needs 1,446 doctors for the Army, 700 for the Navy and 350 for the Air Force.

And, before the doctors go, 900 male nurses will be drafted for active duty in the Army and Navy. This draft starts in April.

The department said the action was necessary to meet added medical requirements for South Viet Nam casualties and because of the over-all increase in military strength.

WASHINGTON AP--The House and the administration have ended a near impasse on proposed increases in the minimum wage.

Rep. Adam Clayton Powell, D-N.Y., chariman of the Education and Labor Committee, reported Thursday that he had endorsed an increase to $1.40 an hour this year and $1.60 in 1968.

Powell had been holding out against demands by organized labor for a boost to $1.60 next year.

Minimum wage legislation has been tied up in a subcommittee because the administration has been unwilling to go along with the faster step-up proposed by labor and backed by some subcommittee members.

The minimum wage now is $1.25 an hour.

Capital Footnotes

The Army plans to organize new guided missile - armed air defense battalions to provide low-altitude defense not now available in forward battle areas. . .The United States may buy up to $300 million worth of British-made military equipment to help Britain offset dollar payments for new F111 tactical fighter planes England will purchase in this country. . .New rules put into effect by the Civil Service Commission to put government hiring completely on an equal-opportunity basis will apply to 2.5 million federal employes. . .President Johnson's nomination of Lee C. White to be chairman of the Federal Power Commission is approved by the Senate without objection.

It is said that King Rameses II was the pharaoh of the Exodus.

VIET NAM MONTAGE

BY DICK VAUGHAN

The pains of war are well known. There has been much written, filmed, recorded, and documented about the tragedies of a war. But sometimes, in the overall scope, the small, inconsequental hurts that one suffers can be easily overlooked, and the world will continue to turn, totally oblivious to the sorrow of one of God's creatures.

I became aware of a pain and sorrow, infinitesimally small perhaps, but somehow appropos to the whole of this war.

Our company is one that was formed for the express purpose of going to war. There were a few months of preparation involved, while we drew equipment, packaged it for shipment, trained personnel, and actually loaded all the equipment aboard the train to begin the long journey to its destination.

A dog, underfed, collarless, and quite afraid, wandered into the company area one day soon after the company was formed. One of the G. I.'s. perhaps remembering a dog that he has so recently shared his childhood with, befriended this stray animal. Soon others were making overtures to the dog, and before you knew it, the company had acquired a mascot.

He went by man names. Some, no doubt reminded the namers of their own family pets, while others reflected the time known originality of the American G. I. Names like Pal, Spot, First Sergeant, Colonel, Hey You, Mutt, K. P., AWOL, and many others. There was however, genuine affection in all the names, and the dog responded happily to all of them.

Soon, Mutt's coat began to glisten, and he took on the well fed look of a cherished member of the family. It was an association that mutually beneficial, because even the lowest ranking soldier in the company always knew there was one other member in the command upon whom he could vent his wrath without fear of reprisal. Mutt took these occasional tirades in pained silence, perhaps somehow sensing that his job in this company was in its own way, just as important as that of the company commander, or the First Sergeant. He entered enthusiastically into the activities of the company, accompaning us on the long morning runs, barking encouragingly at those who lagged, to keep going. He inspected the loading of the flat cars on the train, ensuring no doubt, to his satisfaction, that the trucks, trailers, and other items of equipment were securely lashed. He attended lectures, and classes, and learned the deadly look of a Claymore mine, and listened to the staccato snap of an M-60 machine gun.

The company finally left for Viet Nam, leaving behind two officers, and eight enlisted men as both rear and advanced party. I was one of the officers. Our job was to turn in the buildings, and sever all connections which stretch unbilical-like, between post headquarters and the company. We were then to fly to Viet Nam, so as to arrive before the main body, which is traveling by ship, and there, re - establish these life lines with higher commands.

Yesterday, I stood in the company street, and looked at the lonely, quiet buildings. The wind whipped through, cold and biting, and the bare limbs of the trees rattled dryly. A piece of paper rode in on the wind, glued itself to an empty mop-rack, then worked its way off, and continued its journey.

Suddenly, my eyes were drawn to a movement behind the closed mess hall. There stood the dog, waiting as he did each evening, for the men to finish their meal, and bring him something to eat, and even more important, to speak to him, pet him and invite him to join them. He couldn't know that the company was gone, that he was one of the casualties of this war. All he knew was that he was alone once more, and even though I went to him and petted him, I found it difficult to face the hurt confusion in his eyes.

He jerked his head once, and cocked his ears, perhaps thinking he heard the drumming boots of a marching platoon, or the spontaneous laughter of one of the men, but realized at once that there was nothing.

There was no way for me to explain to him that it was impossible for us to take him with us, or that there would soon be another company of men occupying these same barracks, and that he, just as any other transferred soldier, would have to adjust to a new company.

He shook himself once, as if he had just emerged from a pool of water, and walked slowly down the length of the company street, and on across the Parade Field. I watched him as long as I could, but somehow the cold wind seemed much colder, and finally drove me back inside the shelter of the building.

The quietness of the deserted company area seemed to close in on me, and I felt very much alone.

Twitty Will Study Schools in Russia

Supt. of Schools Lynn Twitty has been selected by the American Association of School Administrators as one of a group of United States school superintendents to make a study of education in the Soviet Union.

He will leave March 25. There will be stops in Berlin, Copenhagen, Helsinki before Leningrad, Moscow, Tbilisi and Kiev all in Russia, before going to Austria and Poland. He will return to New York April 27.

USE THE DAILY SIKESTON STANDARD CLASSIFIED ADS

Troop Makes Arkansas Trip

Boy Scout Troop 148, sponsored by the Rotary club, made a trip to Arkansas last weekend. They arrived at their destination at 6 p.m. Friday night.

The troop's leaders are Bill Robinson, Wencel Moye and G. Hartley Jones.

The group explored caves Saturday and in one of the caves found an underground lake. Moye had explored the caves earlier and had found them safe.

Saturday afternoon the troop went to Norfork Dam and Lake. The Scouts toured the Norfork Fish hatchery. Sunday the Scouts hiked over a prepared trail and at the end of each patrol found cookies waiting for them.

Members of the troop making the trip were Greg Hernandez, Rodney Taylor, Joe Carter, John Winders, Allen Grimes, Mike Maloney, Mark Robinson, Kenny Wren, Darrell Wyatt and Don Maloney.

Tickets Available For Dinner

CHARLESTON -- Tickets are now available for the Missouri March of Dimes appreciation dinner for Governor and Mrs. Warren E. Hearnes. Tickets may be purchased from County MOD Chairman Ronald Pilz or MOD Treasurer Bill Russell. Tickets are $10 each. Mississippi County has been alloted 50 tickets for the affair.

The dinner will be held at the American Legion Home in Sikeston on March 4 at 7 p.m. Jack Buck of the St. Louis Cardinals radio - television staff will serve as master of ceremonies.

Lt. Governor Thomas F. Eagleton, state March of Dimes chairman, will also attend the dinner.

Profits from the dinner will benefit the National Foundation's fight against crippling diseases.

Morehouse War Veteran Dies

MOREHOUSE -- James Wayne Coatney, 48, died Thursday at 10:45 a.m. in Veterans Hospital in St. Louis, where he had been a patient 10 days.

He was born in Clifton, Tenn., Sept. 26, 1917, son of Mrs. Mattie Coatney and Rid C. Coatney.

He has lived in Morehouse 22 years.

He came to this area as a small boy. In 1934 he married Lola Goodwin, who survives.

Other survivors are, his mother; two sons, James W. Coatney, Morehouse, and Raymond C. Coatney, Kokomo, Ind.; one brother, T. L. Coatney, Morehouse, and three grandchildren.

The body is at the Watkins and Sons Funeral Home with tentative services scheduled for Saturday at 2 p.m.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

National Stockyards

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. AP -- Estimated receipts for Monday, hogs 8,500; cattle 4,500; calves 200; sheep 500.

Hogs 5,500; barrows and gilts steady to strong, instances 25 higher; sows weak to 50 lower, 190-240 lb barrows and gilts 27.00-75; 350-650 lb sows 23.75-25.00.

Cattle 200; calves 50; not enough steers or heifers to test market; cows weak in a clean-up trade; cows 17.50-18.50; vealers steady; good to choice vealers 26.00-35.00.

Sheep 200; wooled lambs mostly steady; scattered lots good to choice wooled lambs steady 25.00-28.00.

Weight Distribution

In the average egg, the white accounts for about 58 per cent, the yolk about 31 per cent and the shell 11 per cent of the total weight of the hen's egg.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
Anheuser B.	46½	48½
Ark Mo Power	20¾	22¼
Fed. Compress	29¾	31¾
Malone & Hyde	28	30
Mo Utilities	22¾	24¾
Pabst Brewing	37½	39½
Potlatch Forest	33½	35½
Transogram	6⅛	8
Wetterau	25	27
Gen. Life Wis	5½	6½
Mark Twain L.	2½	3½
Mid West Life	8	9
Tower Nat. Life	1¾	2¼

LISTED STOCKS

Allied Stores	81¼
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	58⅞
Columbia Gas	28¼
Eaton Mfg. Co.	68½
Emerson Elec.	56⅜
Ford Motors	52⅞
Foremost Dairy	25
General Motors	99¼
New England Elec.	26¾

Editors Note: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone GR 1-5350.

Sikeston Woman's Brother Dies

LOS ANGELES, Calif. -- Doyle Posey, 52, died at 11:30 a.m. Thursday. He was a maintenance man at a school.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, two daughters, one sister, Mrs. Mattie Jackson of Sikeston, Mo., and one brother, Harvey Posey of Chattanooga, Tenn.

William Swan, 56, Dies in Anniston

EAST PRAIRIE -- William Guy Swan, 56, died at 4:30 a.m. today at the home of his sister, Mrs. William H. Goodman in Anniston. He was a carpenter employed by McTigue and Parker construction company.

He was born in Cardwell Feb. 9, 1910.

He lived in Mississippi county 20 years and was a member of the Church of Christ. He married Phyllis Loveall, who survives.

Other survivors are three daughters, Misses Nora and Venus Swan, both of Portageville, and Mrs. Dorothy Mainord, Paragould, Ark.; one son, Guy Van Swan, one brother, Harold Swan, Paragould, Ark.

The body is at the Shelby Funeral Home.

Campaniles

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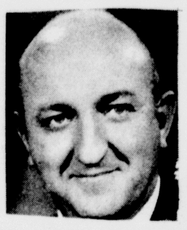

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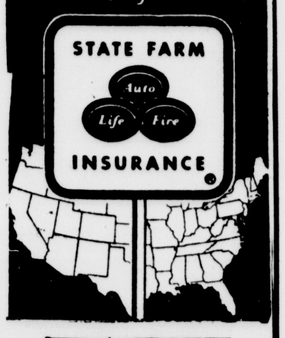

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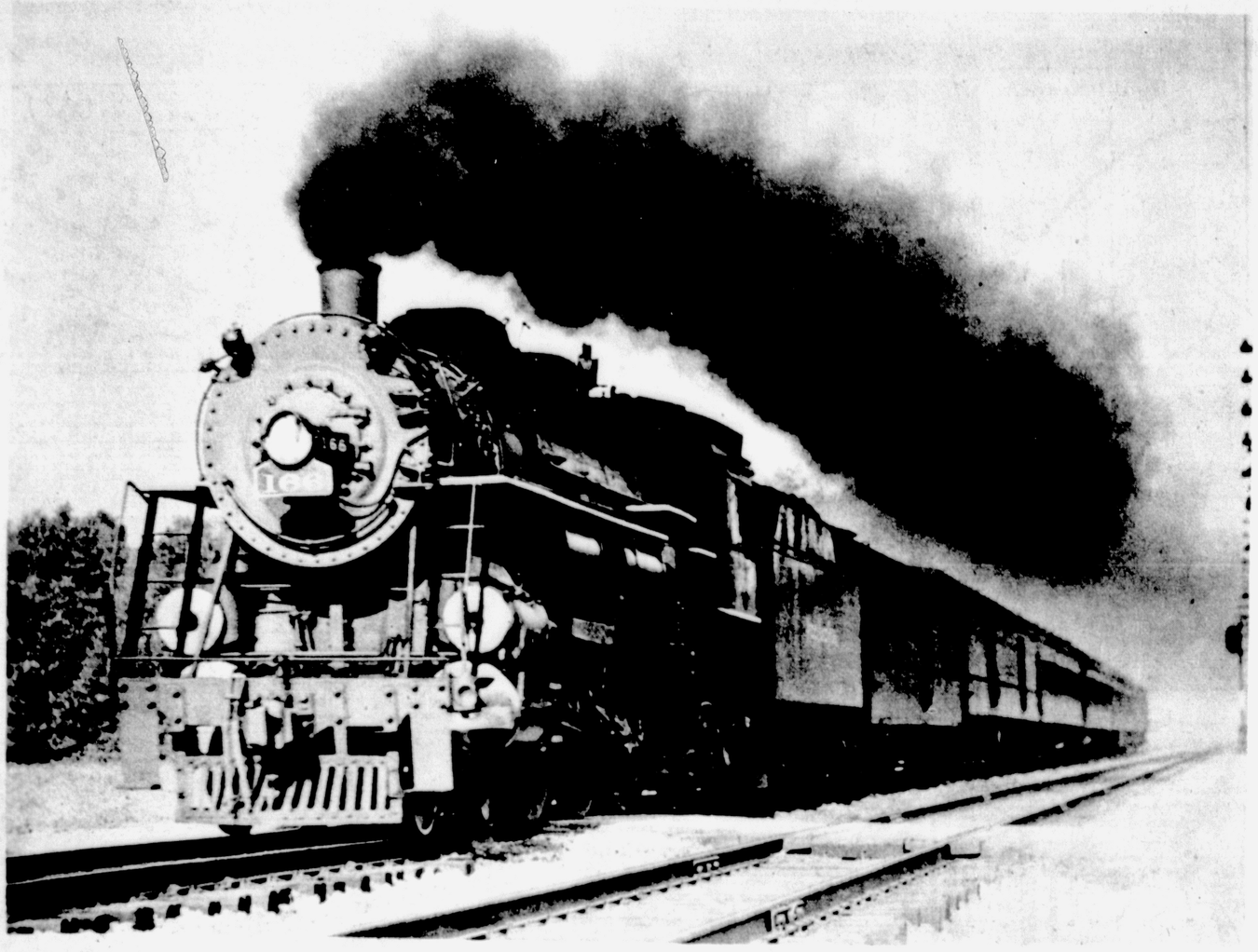

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By: John Rehor, Published by: Kalmbach Publishing Co., 1027 N. 7th St., Milwaukee, Wis., 53233, Price: $16.50, Available: Now.

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Mrs. Hinkle Found In Her Bed

Mrs. Effie Bell Hinkle, 80, was found dead in a bed at her home, 121 Fifth St., this morning. Coroner Clyde Poe said that she had died of natural causes.

She had been under a doctor's care. She died shortly after midnight.

There will be no inquest or autopsy.

She had been a resident of Sikeston since 1943. She was born Oct. 10, 1885, in Sikeston, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hinkle.

She is survived by three sons, Walter Winchester of Bay City, Mich., Bernice Winchester of Sikeston and Fred Jordan of Ypsilanti, Mich.; four daughters, Mrs. Lucille Alexander, Mrs. Evelyn Payne, both of Sikeston; Mrs. Beulah Powell and Mrs. Chril Beasley, both of Cape Girardeau; 22 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

The body is at the Bisplinghoff Funeral Home in Illmo.

Today in Washington

Physicians Will Be Drafted

WASHINGTON AP -- Starting in July, Selective Service will begin drafting 2,496 physicians for the armed forces.

The Defense Department says it needs 1,446 doctors for the Army, 700 for the Navy and 350 for the Air Force.

And, before the doctors go, 900 male nurses will be drafted for active duty in the Army and Navy. This draft starts in April.

The department said the action was necessary to meet added medical requirements for South Viet Nam casualties and because of the over-all increase in military strength.

WASHINGTON AP--The House and the administration have ended a near impasse on proposed increases in the minimum wage.

Rep. Adam Clayton Powell, D-N.Y., chariman of the Education and Labor Committee, reported Thursday that he had endorsed an increase to $1.40 an hour this year and $1.60 in 1968.

Powell had been holding out against demands by organized labor for a boost to $1.60 next year.

Minimum wage legislation has been tied up in a subcommittee because the administration has been unwilling to go along with the faster step-up proposed by labor and backed by some subcommittee members.

The minimum wage now is $1.25 an hour.

Capital Footnotes

The Army plans to organize new guided missile - armed air defense battalions to provide low-altitude defense not now available in forward battle areas. . .The United States may buy up to $300 million worth of British-made military equipment to help Britain offset dollar payments for new F111 tactical fighter planes England will purchase in this country. . .New rules put into effect by the Civil Service Commission to put government hiring completely on an equal-opportunity basis will apply to 2.5 million federal employes. . .President Johnson's nomination of Lee C. White to be chairman of the Federal Power Commission is approved by the Senate without objection.

It is said that King Rameses II was the pharaoh of the Exodus.

VIET NAM MONTAGE

BY DICK VAUGHAN

The pains of war are well known. There has been much written, filmed, recorded, and documented about the tragedies of a war. But sometimes, in the overall scope, the small, inconsequental hurts that one suffers can be easily overlooked, and the world will continue to turn, totally oblivious to the sorrow of one of God's creatures.

I became aware of a pain and sorrow, infinitesimally small perhaps, but somehow appropos to the whole of this war.

Our company is one that was formed for the express purpose of going to war. There were a few months of preparation involved, while we drew equipment, packaged it for shipment, trained personnel, and actually loaded all the equipment aboard the train to begin the long journey to its destination.

A dog, underfed, collarless, and quite afraid, wandered into the company area one day soon after the company was formed. One of the G. I.'s. perhaps remembering a dog that he has so recently shared his childhood with, befriended this stray animal. Soon others were making overtures to the dog, and before you knew it, the company had acquired a mascot.

He went by man names. Some, no doubt reminded the namers of their own family pets, while others reflected the time known originality of the American G. I. Names like Pal, Spot, First Sergeant, Colonel, Hey You, Mutt, K. P., AWOL, and many others. There was however, genuine affection in all the names, and the dog responded happily to all of them.

Soon, Mutt's coat began to glisten, and he took on the well fed look of a cherished member of the family. It was an association that mutually beneficial, because even the lowest ranking soldier in the company always knew there was one other member in the command upon whom he could vent his wrath without fear of reprisal. Mutt took these occasional tirades in pained silence, perhaps somehow sensing that his job in this company was in its own way, just as important as that of the company commander, or the First Sergeant. He entered enthusiastically into the activities of the company, accompaning us on the long morning runs, barking encouragingly at those who lagged, to keep going. He inspected the loading of the flat cars on the train, ensuring no doubt, to his satisfaction, that the trucks, trailers, and other items of equipment were securely lashed. He attended lectures, and classes, and learned the deadly look of a Claymore mine, and listened to the staccato snap of an M-60 machine gun.

The company finally left for Viet Nam, leaving behind two officers, and eight enlisted men as both rear and advanced party. I was one of the officers. Our job was to turn in the buildings, and sever all connections which stretch unbilical-like, between post headquarters and the company. We were then to fly to Viet Nam, so as to arrive before the main body, which is traveling by ship, and there, re - establish these life lines with higher commands.

Yesterday, I stood in the company street, and looked at the lonely, quiet buildings. The wind whipped through, cold and biting, and the bare limbs of the trees rattled dryly. A piece of paper rode in on the wind, glued itself to an empty mop-rack, then worked its way off, and continued its journey.

Suddenly, my eyes were drawn to a movement behind the closed mess hall. There stood the dog, waiting as he did each evening, for the men to finish their meal, and bring him something to eat, and even more important, to speak to him, pet him and invite him to join them. He couldn't know that the company was gone, that he was one of the casualties of this war. All he knew was that he was alone once more, and even though I went to him and petted him, I found it difficult to face the hurt confusion in his eyes.

He jerked his head once, and cocked his ears, perhaps thinking he heard the drumming boots of a marching platoon, or the spontaneous laughter of one of the men, but realized at once that there was nothing.

There was no way for me to explain to him that it was impossible for us to take him with us, or that there would soon be another company of men occupying these same barracks, and that he, just as any other transferred soldier, would have to adjust to a new company.

He shook himself once, as if he had just emerged from a pool of water, and walked slowly down the length of the company street, and on across the Parade Field. I watched him as long as I could, but somehow the cold wind seemed much colder, and finally drove me back inside the shelter of the building.

The quietness of the deserted company area seemed to close in on me, and I felt very much alone.

Twitty Will Study Schools in Russia

Supt. of Schools Lynn Twitty has been selected by the American Association of School Administrators as one of a group of United States school superintendents to make a study of education in the Soviet Union.

He will leave March 25. There will be stops in Berlin, Copenhagen, Helsinki before Leningrad, Moscow, Tbilisi and Kiev all in Russia, before going to Austria and Poland. He will return to New York April 27.

USE THE DAILY SIKESTON STANDARD CLASSIFIED ADS

Troop Makes Arkansas Trip

Boy Scout Troop 148, sponsored by the Rotary club, made a trip to Arkansas last weekend. They arrived at their destination at 6 p.m. Friday night.

The troop's leaders are Bill Robinson, Wencel Moye and G. Hartley Jones.

The group explored caves Saturday and in one of the caves found an underground lake. Moye had explored the caves earlier and had found them safe.

Saturday afternoon the troop went to Norfork Dam and Lake. The Scouts toured the Norfork Fish hatchery. Sunday the Scouts hiked over a prepared trail and at the end of each patrol found cookies waiting for them.

Members of the troop making the trip were Greg Hernandez, Rodney Taylor, Joe Carter, John Winders, Allen Grimes, Mike Maloney, Mark Robinson, Kenny Wren, Darrell Wyatt and Don Maloney.

Tickets Available For Dinner

CHARLESTON -- Tickets are now available for the Missouri March of Dimes appreciation dinner for Governor and Mrs. Warren E. Hearnes. Tickets may be purchased from County MOD Chairman Ronald Pilz or MOD Treasurer Bill Russell. Tickets are $10 each. Mississippi County has been alloted 50 tickets for the affair.

The dinner will be held at the American Legion Home in Sikeston on March 4 at 7 p.m. Jack Buck of the St. Louis Cardinals radio - television staff will serve as master of ceremonies.

Lt. Governor Thomas F. Eagleton, state March of Dimes chairman, will also attend the dinner.

Profits from the dinner will benefit the National Foundation's fight against crippling diseases.

Morehouse War Veteran Dies

MOREHOUSE -- James Wayne Coatney, 48, died Thursday at 10:45 a.m. in Veterans Hospital in St. Louis, where he had been a patient 10 days.

He was born in Clifton, Tenn., Sept. 26, 1917, son of Mrs. Mattie Coatney and Rid C. Coatney.

He has lived in Morehouse 22 years.

He came to this area as a small boy. In 1934 he married Lola Goodwin, who survives.

Other survivors are, his mother; two sons, James W. Coatney, Morehouse, and Raymond C. Coatney, Kokomo, Ind.; one brother, T. L. Coatney, Morehouse, and three grandchildren.

The body is at the Watkins and Sons Funeral Home with tentative services scheduled for Saturday at 2 p.m.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

National Stockyards

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. AP -- Estimated receipts for Monday, hogs 8,500; cattle 4,500; calves 200; sheep 500.

Hogs 5,500; barrows and gilts steady to strong, instances 25 higher; sows weak to 50 lower, 190-240 lb barrows and gilts 27.00-75; 350-650 lb sows 23.75-25.00.

Cattle 200; calves 50; not enough steers or heifers to test market; cows weak in a clean-up trade; cows 17.50-18.50; vealers steady; good to choice vealers 26.00-35.00.

Sheep 200; wooled lambs mostly steady; scattered lots good to choice wooled lambs steady 25.00-28.00.

Weight Distribution

In the average egg, the white accounts for about 58 per cent, the yolk about 31 per cent and the shell 11 per cent of the total weight of the hen's egg.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
Anheuser B.	46½	48½
Ark Mo Power	20¾	22¼
Fed. Compress	29¾	31¾
Malone & Hyde	28	30
Mo Utilities	22¾	24¾
Pabst Brewing	37½	39½
Potlatch Forest	33½	35½
Transogram	6⅛	8
Wetterau	25	27
Gen. Life Wis	5½	6½
Mark Twain L.	2½	3½
Mid West Life	8	9
Tower Nat. Life	1¾	2¼
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		81¼
Amer. Tel. & Tel.		58⅞
Columbia Gas		28¼
Eaton Mfg. Co.		68½
Emerson Elec.		56⅜
Ford Motors		52⅞
Foremost Dairy		25
General Motors		99¼
New England Elec.		26¾

Editors Note: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone GR 1-5350.

Sikeston Woman's Brother Dies

LOS ANGELES, Calif. -- Doyle Posey, 52, died at 11:30 a.m. Thursday. He was a maintenance man at a school.

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